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# KINGDOM UNITED!



■ by JERRY LAWTON  
THE UK came together as one last night to pay silent tribute to Queen Elizabeth, while new King Charles III hosted a reception for world leaders before her funeral today.  
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**Nation's silent  
tribute as world  
leaders gather**



# A NATION MOURNS: UK STANDS

# Together

## A FINAL PRACTICE IN DARK

MEMBERS of the Armed Forces carry a coffin for a dress rehearsal of the Queen's funeral in the early hours yesterday.

The rehearsal began in Wellington Barracks, central London, before moving past Big Ben in Westminster and proceeding along the planned route to Wellington Arch.



**WARM WELCOME:** The King with Antigua and Barbuda PM Gaston Browne

## 'She had wonderful blue eyes'

THE Queen Consort has paid tribute to the late Queen, recalling her "wonderful blue eyes" and saying: "I will always remember her smile."

Camilla, inset, in pre-recorded words, spoke of how Queen Elizabeth II carved out her own role for many years in the "difficult position" of being a "solitary woman" in a male-dominated world.

"I can't remember anyone except the Queen being there," the Queen Consort added, being among the majority of the nation for whom, until now, the Queen was the only British



monarch they had ever known or could recall.

Camilla's tribute to her mother-in-law aired shortly before the national minute's silence at 8pm last night.

Camilla said: "She's been part of our lives forever. I'm 75 now and I can't remember anyone except the Queen being there."

Remembering the late monarch, she added: "She's got those wonderful blue eyes, that when she smiles they light up her whole face."

"I will always remember her smile. That smile is unforgettable."

## GOOD TO CHAT

THE Princess of Wales speaks to the First Lady of Ukraine Olena Zelenska at Buckingham Palace ahead of the Queen's funeral.

Meanwhile French leader Emmanuel Macron and wife Brigitte arrived in trainers, as Charles spoke with the Prime Minister of Antigua and Barbuda.



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# SILENT AS WORLD VIPS GATHER for Queen..

## LEADERS JOIN KING AT PALACE

■ by JERRY LAWTON

**KING** Charles played host to the world's most powerful leaders at Buckingham Palace last night – as the United Kingdom came together as one for his mum.

At 8pm silence descended across the nation as men, women and children paid tribute to their former Queen, Elizabeth II.

US President Joe Biden and First Lady Jill led a powerhouse of world leaders and more than 20 royal families descending on Britain to pay their respects.

Many last night attended what has been dubbed the “reception of the century”.

The evening featured 1,000 VIPs including Mr Biden, New Zealand Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern and Japanese Emperor Naruhito.

Meanwhile, a funeral invitation to Saudi leader Mohammed Bin Salman sparked controversy.

And China is sending vice-president Wang Qishan but was barred from the lying-in-state.

Due to strained ties, the UK opted to invite ambassadors, not heads of state, from Iran, Nicaragua and North Korea.

Russia and Belarus are among a small group of nations excluded.

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**SPECIAL NIGHT:** Joe and Jill Biden, below left, join guests at the Palace last night, many of whom arrived by a coach convoy



Pictures: GETTY; PA

**HARRY BADGE BAN ANGER: PAGE 4**



CHAT: PM and Biden

## Tension in talks for PM

LIZ Truss is set for discussions with her Irish counterpart, Taoiseach Micheal Martin, against a backdrop of tensions over post-Brexit trading arrangements.

Britain is expected to push ahead with legislation to give ministers the power to scrap parts of the Northern Ireland Protocol.

The protocol was jointly agreed by the UK and EU to avoid a hard border on the island of Ireland.

Both the EU and Ireland claim Britain's move to unilaterally revise the post-Brexit treaty would breach international law.

The issue is set to ramp up ahead of a deadline at the end of October to form a new Northern Ireland Executive, which the DUP has so far blocked in protest over the protocol.

In addition to Mr Martin, Ms Truss will meet Joe Biden, Canadian PM Justin Trudeau and Polish President Andrzej Duda in Downing Street.

The talks are being portrayed as chats rather than formal sessions.

## Suchet: Date was 'for real'

POIROT actor Sir David Suchet says he once thought a lunch invite with the Queen was a “hoax”.

The actor, 76, was invited to the Palace in 1990.

He said: “My wife (actress Sheila Ferris) and I thought it was a hoax because the date was my birthday. Sheila went to the phone and rang up to expect a mate and the gentleman at the end said ‘Buckingham Palace’ and she slammed the phone down and said, ‘It’s real, this is real!’”

Sir David went along, describing the late monarch as “twinkly” and recalled how Duke of Edinburgh taught him how to peel and eat a mango.



# A NATION MOURNS: CHARLOTTE



1960: Beaton portrait

## Andy: 'A book closes'

ANDY Windsor has paid tribute to his mother, the Queen, saying: "Mummy, your love for a son, your compassion, your care, your confidence I will treasure forever."

He hailed the late monarch for her "knowledge and wisdom infinite, with no boundary or containment", adding: "I will miss your insights, advice and humour."

He went on: "Dear Mummy, Mother, Your Majesty, three in one."

"Your Majesty, it has been an honour and privilege to serve you."

He accompanied his words with a black and white photo taken by Cecil Beaton of his mother holding him as a newborn in March 1960.

Mr Windsor, who, in 2019, stepped down from public life over his friendship with paedophile Jeffrey Epstein, said: "As our book of experiences closes, another opens", adding that he would "tread gladly into the next with you as my guide."

## 'She was sharp till the end'

THE Queen was in "tremendous form" just a few days before she died, according to her trusted bloodstock and racing adviser.

John Warren features in one of the most repeated TV clips of the last week, when the Queen clapped her hands and beamed as her horse Estimate claimed victory in Royal Ascot's Gold Cup in 2013.

Mr Warren said he spent the weekend before the Queen died discussing her horses, as they had done so many times before.

He said: "She was in such a healthy state of mind and in tremendous form."

"She was absolutely, wonderfully switched on."

**Palace of Westminster**

**Westminster Abbey**

**Buckingham Palace**

**Wellington Arch**

## HER FINAL JOURNEY

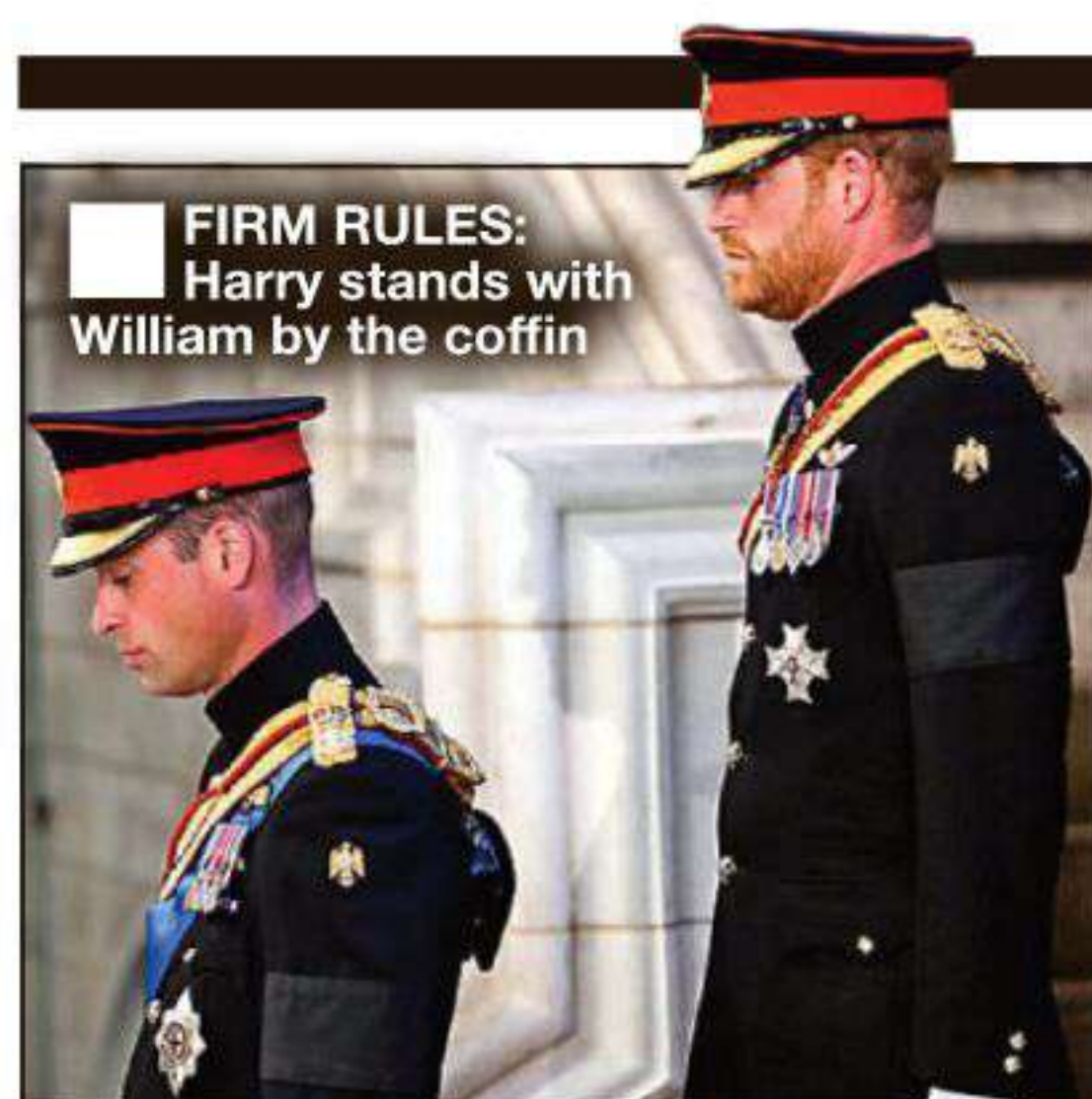
<p><b>6.30am:</b> Westminster Hall closes.</p> <p><b>10.44am:</b> State gun carriage carries coffin to Westminster Abbey.</p> <p><b>10.52am:</b> Procession arrives at its West Gate.</p> <p><b>11am:</b> Service begins, conducted by the Dean of Westminster.</p>	<p><b>12.15pm:</b> Coffin leaves followed by members of the Royal Family.</p> <p><b>1pm:</b> Arrives at Wellington Arch after being returned to the state gun carriage. Minute guns are fired in Hyde Park and Big Ben tolls throughout. Queen's coffin transferred to hearse to</p>	<p>begin journey from London to Windsor Castle.</p> <p><b>3.10pm:</b> Arrival at St George's Chapel.</p> <p><b>4pm:</b> Committal Service begins.</p> <p><b>7.30pm:</b> Queen buried in private alongside Prince Philip at King George VI Memorial Chapel.</p>
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QUEEN ELIZABETH II

Monday, 19th September, 2022  
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**FIRM RULES:**  
Harry stands with William by the coffin

## PRINCE UNIFORM ROW

**PRINCE Harry is said to be devastated about the Queen's "ER" initials being stripped from his military uniform.**

The ex-squaddie's Army outfit was changed before he joined the vigil beside her coffin - even though his scandal-stricken uncle Andy Windsor's was not.

Harry, 38 is said to have considered wearing a morn-

■ by AARON TINNEY

ing suit instead to stand guard with Her Majesty's seven other grandchildren in Westminster Hall on Saturday.

The prince was allowed to wear the kit for the first time since the Queen died as a mark of respect, as he is no longer a working royal.

ER initials appear to be reserved only for working members of The Firm - which in-

cludes older brother William. A source said: "Harry is heartbroken. To remove his grandmother's initials feels very intentional."

Andy, 62 - now eighth in line to the throne - was stripped of his military patronages and use of the HRH title after he settled a lawsuit out of court with sex trafficking victim Virginia Giuffre.

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**INITIALS:** With



**BARE:** Without



# & GEORGE GOING TO FUNERAL

## CHILDREN WILL SAY FAREWELL

**PRINCE George and Princess Charlotte will attend the Queen's state funeral.**

The nine-year-old future king and his sister, seven, will be in the 2,000 congregation in Westminster Abbey.

They will follow the coffin inside with the royal family but their brother Prince Louis, four, is likely to be considered too young to attend.

A record audience of 4.1 billion – over half the world's population – is expected to watch it on TV. Before the

■ by LAURA ELSTON

service the tenor bell will toll every minute for 96 minutes, reflecting the years of the Queen's life. At the end the Queen's Piper Paul Burns will play the lament Sleep, Dearie, Sleep.

A private committal service will take place later in St George's Chapel, Windsor Castle, when the Queen is laid to rest with Prince Philip.

Last night at 8pm people across the UK observed a minute's silence.

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**LAST GOODBYE:** Prince George and Charlotte, centre, will be at funeral

## Public grief of family

THE former Archbishop of York says he will be thinking of the Queen's family during her funeral.

Lord Sentamu told the BBC: "The Queen wrote me a most wonderful letter four weeks after the burial of Prince Philip, thanking me for the flowers, the prayers, and then ended by saying, 'When you are grieving someone you deeply love, it isn't easy when you have to do it in public.'"

"So my thoughts will be to the new King and the whole royal family, they are grieving publicly."

## Sailors' pulling power

THE Queen's coffin will be carried on a 123-year-old gun carriage towed by 98 Royal Navy sailors, in a tradition dating back to the funeral of Queen Victoria.

On the day of Victoria's ceremony in 1901, the horses that were going to pull it panicked and reared.

Captain Prince Louis of Battenberg suggested to new king Edward VII that the Navy should step in.

Ropes were attached to the gun carriage, which weighing around three tonnes and a team of sailors was brought in.

It became a tradition that has been followed at all state funerals since.

## 7million to raise a glass

DRINKERS are expected to raise seven million glasses to Her Majesty today as pubs across Britain open for her funeral.

Brewery chiefs predict the whopping number of beers will be topped in toasts to "Her Majesty The Queen" at the unofficial nationwide wake.

Emma McClarkin, chief executive of the British Beer and Pub Association, said: "People have a desire to join together."

Howard Thomas, of the Spotted Cow in Holbrook, Derbys, said: "We're opening for the funeral and afterwards will be like a wake."



Picture: PA

**ETERNAL FLAME:** Candles for the Queen in Green Park outside Buckingham Palace. Below, a WPC weeps

## Smile truly reigns

THE Queen looks her happy and glorious best in this never-before-seen picture. The monarch posed for photographer Ranald Mackechnie at Windsor Castle in May.

Ranald said at the time: "Chuffed to be asked to do this. If my Dad was still around, this might have finally convinced him that I didn't make a terrible mistake choosing photography as my profession."



Picture: RANALD MACKECHECHNIE / PA

**QUEUE ARE YOU KIDDING?: PAGES 6-7**



# A NATION MOURNS: FANS SWEAR

# QUEUE MUST

## Hearing on hall charge

A MAN who was seized after approaching the Queen's coffin as it lay in state is due to appear in court today charged with a public order offence.

Muhammad Khan, 28, of Limehouse, east London, was arrested inside Westminster Hall on Friday.

A Scotland Yard spokesman said: "A man arrested in Westminster Hall on Friday has been charged."

"He will appear in custody at Westminster Magistrates' Court on Monday."

## 1million head to capital

TRANSPORT bosses are expecting a million people to descend on London for the Queen's funeral today.

Around 250 extra rail services will run, including some overnight trains, while National Highways suspended planned motorway closures.

There are fears the transport network will be overwhelmed this afternoon as people try to head home.

TfL boss Andy Byford said it was facing "one of the busiest days ever".

More than 100 Heathrow flights will be cancelled to prevent aircraft noise disturbing proceedings.

## Charity can bag snacks

FOOD and drink confiscated from people waiting in the queue for the Queen's lying-in-state is being donated to charity.

People paying their respects have not been allowed to take food inside the Palace of Westminster.

Charity The Felix Project has received hundreds of kilos, mostly snacks such as crisps, chocolate and biscuits, and is also accepting unwanted blankets.

Its chief executive Charlotte Hill said: "We are honoured to be here to play a small part in this hugely poignant event and to know that an extra layer of good is being done here."



Pictures: MOD; GETTY; PA; STEPHEN CHUNG/LNP; REUTERS

## LETTING THEIR GUARD DOWN...

YEOMAN Guards take a well-earned rest, above, after hours of vigil duty around the Queen's coffin while she is lying in state at Westminster Palace in London, above left.

Meanwhile, right, Clive the baby corgi proved to be the centre of attention outside Buckingham Palace.

Horses owned by the Queen raced for the first time since her death, at Newmarket's Henry Cecil Open Weekend.

Jockey Robert Havlin, centre left, riding Saga, dressed in the royal colours: purple with gold braid, scarlet sleeves and black velvet cap with gold fringe.

And athlete Dame Kelly Holmes, left, joined the queue, near London Bridge, to pay her respects.





# TELLY PAIR JUMPED THE CROWDS BE KIDDING..



SOLEMN: Presenters in Westminster Hall

## TV bosses deny Phil and Holly filed past coffin

■ by MEG JORSH

**THIS Morning bosses have sparked fury by denying Phil and Holly jumped the queue to see the Queen lying in state.**

Mourners insist Phillip Schofield, 60, and Holly Willoughby, 41, used their telly fame on Friday to avoid the 14-hour wait endured by members of the public.

Stars including David Beckham, 47, and Susanna Reid, 51, lined up patiently with everyone else before entering Westminster Hall.

Last night an ITV spokeswoman said: "This Morning had press accreditation and like other media, Phillip and Holly were escorted to work from the press gallery by Government staff."

"They did not file past the Queen's coffin. They

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**So Quick. So Simple. So Schofield.**

were there alongside a host of other broadcasters and national press outlets for an item that will be broadcast on Tuesday's show. Any allegations of improper behaviour are categorically untrue."

In a statement posted on Saturday night, ITV said: "They did not jump the queue."

But one royal fan wrote on social media: "Rubbish. I watched them live file past. The world's media is outside. What were they doing inside?"

"They are not reporters, they present the show. They abused their position & queue jumped."

Jokers took the mickey out of Schofield and his "We Buy Any Car" ad, turning it into a "We jump Any Queue" meme online. A petition with more than 300 names is calling for the pair to be sacked.

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## COUPLE IN LINE FOR ROMANCE

■ by MEG JORSH

**A PAIR of mourners have sparked up a romance after meeting in the queue.**

As crowds gathered in Windsor, above, and London, below, Jack Ciuro and Zoe, left, hit it off during their 13-hour wait.

Jack grinned as told Channel 4's Minnie Stephenson, how they kept each other company with "crisps and chat". He added: "We met at 10:30pm last night and we've been throughout the whole thing. We've actually got loads of things in common."

When asked if they'd keep in touch, Zoe said: "Yeah, 100%", adding that they now plan to watch the Queen's funeral together. Minnie later tweeted: "Call me Queue-pid."



Pictures: PA; RAY TANG/LNP; GETTY



GESTURE: With flowers

## Champ Tyson's tribute

TOUCHING footage has emerged of the moment Tyson Fury paid his respects to the Queen by laying flowers outside Buckingham Palace.

The videos - filmed by a passer-by - show the tribute from the two-time world heavyweight champion boxer and his wife, Paris.

Fury, 34, can be seen wearing a grey shirt and jeans, while Paris wore bright pink trousers, a blouse and heels.

The pair linked hands and posed for pictures before Tyson laid the bouquet on Thursday.

Sharing pictures of the tribute on social media, his hand-written message read: "To our Queen, Great may your bed be in Heaven. Love from Tyson and Paris xx Gypsy King x."

## Closing time at stores

SUPERMARKETS, fashion stores and cinemas are among firms shutting their doors today.

Tesco, Sainsbury's, Morrisons, Lidl and Aldi were among those closing so staff can pay their respects to the late monarch.

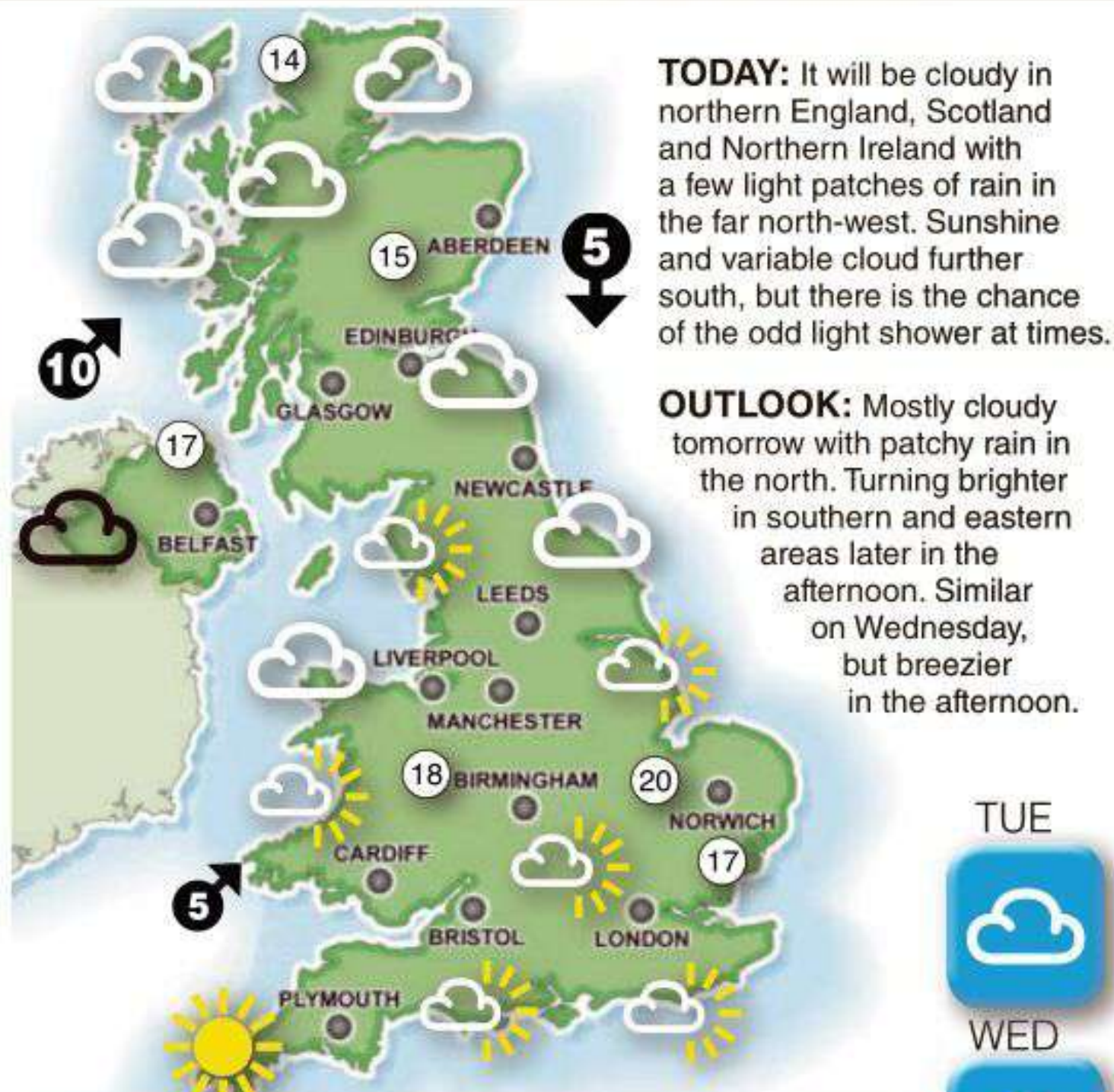
Tesco's UK chief executive Jason Tarry said: "We want to express our gratitude to Her Majesty the Queen for her unwavering service."

Other high street retailers, including clothing stores Marks & Spencer and Primark, also said they will shut for the day.

Cinema chains such as Cineworld and Odeon have also announced plans to close.



## TODAY'S WEATHER



## CORRECTIONS &amp; COMPLAINTS

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## THE HEALTH LOTTERY

The society raising money in September through The Health Lottery is  
Health Lottery North West, tackling inequalities across the area

<b>E1 Health Lottery numbers</b> Saturday, September 17	30	36	38	43	47	13
<b>E1 Health Lottery numbers</b> Friday, September 16	03	06	38	43	46	31
<b>E1 Health Lottery numbers</b> Thursday, September 15	06	25	28	37	45	15
<b>E1 Health Lottery numbers</b> Wednesday, September 14	17	37	41	43	45	34
<b>E1 Health Lottery numbers</b> Tuesday, September 13	29	34	43	45	47	22

2ND CHANCE DRAW, Sept 14: 4, 15, 31, 40, 47



## NATIONAL LOTTERY

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

No £4m jackpot winner. Wednesday's top prize is an estimated £5.2million

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THUNDERBALL: SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17: 11, 13, 14, 23, 34 T'BALL: 06Chat's a  
payday  
for May

FORMER Prime Minister Theresa May raked in £766,600 this year for just 60 hours' work.

Her latest big payday was £51,600 for a two-hour event in the US last month, the parliament's Register of Members' Financial Interests says.

In June she picked up £74,000 for speaking to Deutsche Bank at a London event.

Mrs May has banked more than £2.2million on the speaking circuit since leaving Downing Street three years ago.

One of her biggest pay packets came when she raked in £160,370 for four and-a-half hours' work with JP Morgan Chase at two events.

Interest  
rate set  
to soar

THE Bank of England is poised to make the biggest interest rates hike for over three decades when its decision-makers gather this week.

Economists expect the Bank's Monetary Policy Committee to raise rates by 0.75 percentage points to 2.5%.

It would be the highest interest rate that the UK has had since the 2008 financial crisis and the largest single rate rise since 1989.

The decision to hike interest rates is a bid to keep inflation under control. It is the best tool that the Bank of England has to steer inflation – currently at 9.9% – back to its 2% target.

Met vow  
to clean  
up force

NEW Met Police boss Sir Mark Rowley has vowed to clear the force of "toxic" cops and win back public trust.

In the wake of a string of high-profile scandals, the police chief admitted: "We have let the public down."

He pledged to send officers to every burglary and crack down on misogynistic, racist and homophobic attitudes.

The 57-year-old replaced Dame Cressida Dick following a series of outrages that left public confidence in the force at an all-time low.

They included the rape and murder of Sarah Everard by serving officer Wayne Couzens.

Trump's plan  
to swap isle  
for Greenland  
HE OFFERED PUERTO RICO

TARGET: Trump offered deal

DONALD Trump started secret talks to take over Greenland – and offered Puerto Rico as a swap.

The ex-US president got the crazy idea when he saw the nation on a map in 2019.

The authors of a new book about Trump's presidency, Peter Baker and Susan Glasser, said he told them it would be like a real estate purchase.

Trump explained: "I said, 'Why don't we have that?'"

"You take a look at a map. I'm a real estate developer. I look at a corner, I say, 'I've got to get that store for the build-

■ by AARON TINNEY

ing that I'm building' etc. It's not that different."

White House insiders initially dismissed it as "Trump being Trump".

But he held discussions with the nation's Danish government in Copenhagen.

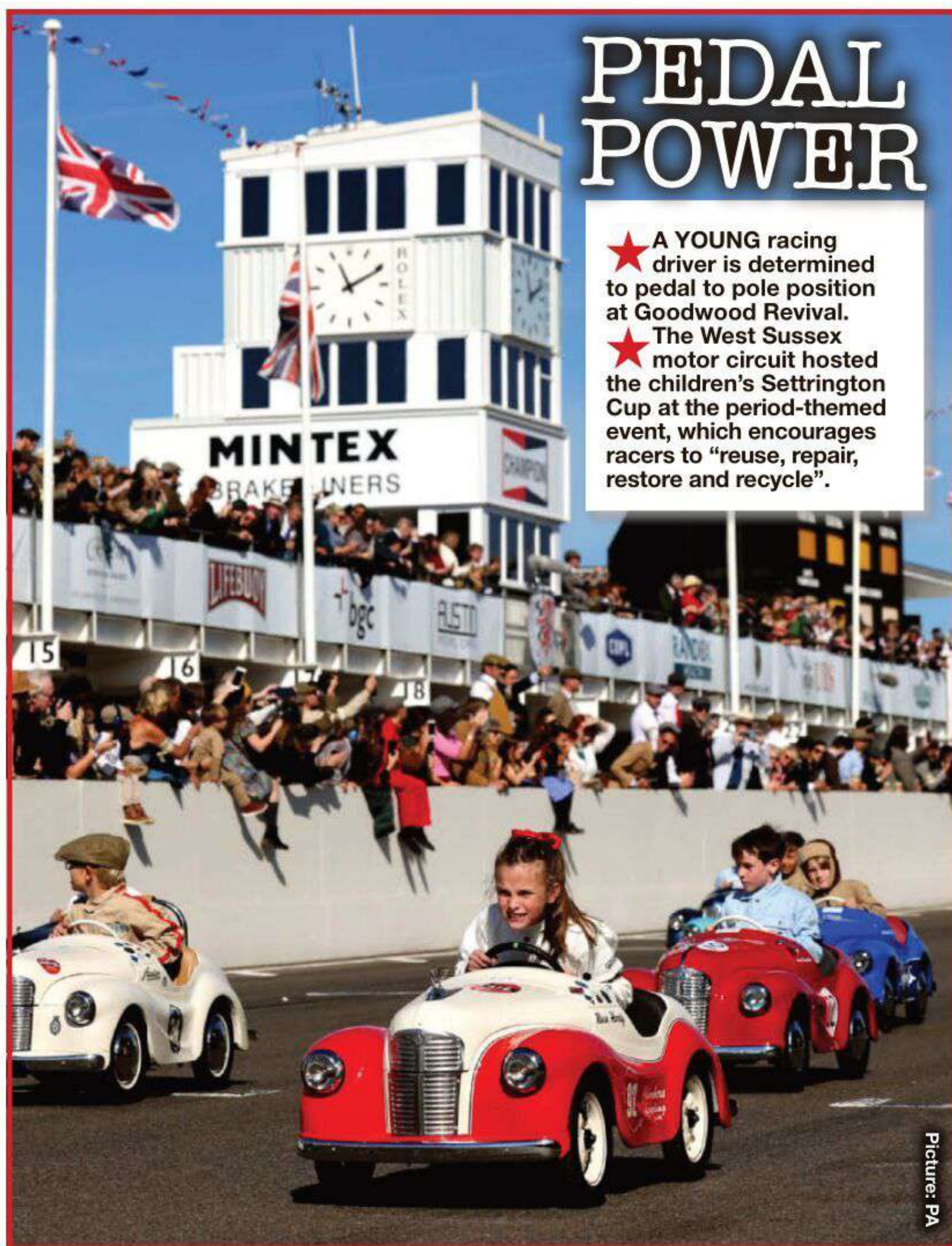
And when Denmark refused to sell Greenland, he offered Puerto Rico – the Caribbean territory Trump once branded "dirty and corrupt" – as part of the deal.

The claim is in the book The Divider: Trump In The White House 2017-2021.

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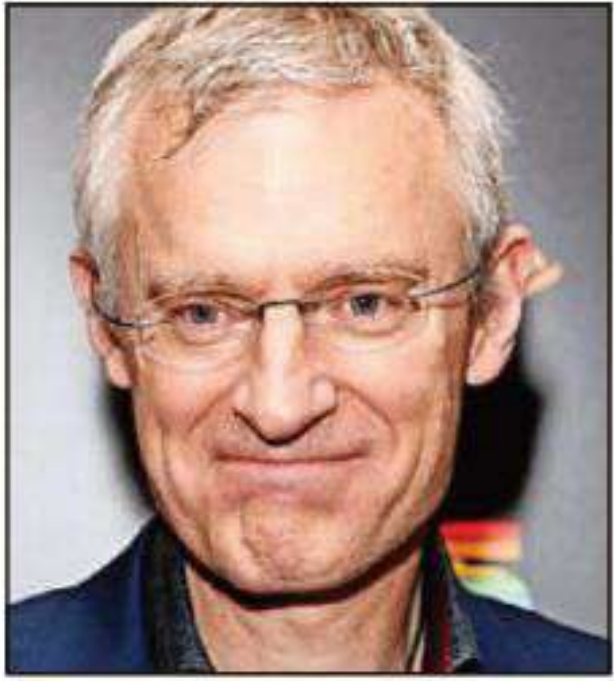
★ A YOUNG racing driver is determined to pedal to pole position at Goodwood Revival.

★ The West Sussex motor circuit hosted the children's Settrington Cup at the period-themed event, which encourages racers to "reuse, repair, restore and recycle".



Picture: PA





TROLLS HELL: Jeremy

## Vine in blast at socials

JEREMY Vine has blasted social media firms after his stalking hell.

He hit out after ex-BBC DJ Alex Belfield, 42, was last week jailed for five-and-a-half years for relentlessly stalking four colleagues including Vine, 57, who branded him the "Jimmy Savile of trolling".

BBC Radio 2 host Vine said about YouTube and Twitter allowing his trolling to go on for nearly a decade: "We had to get lawyers to get his s\*\*t taken down, and even then it's hard."

"The companies just say no. They don't have any moral values."

Vine had feared ex-BBC Leeds host turned YouTuber Belfield would incite one of his 360,000 followers to turn up at the Vine family home - possibly with a knife or acid.

Belfield had shared Vine's address with his army of trolls.

He added: "Belfield was never going to come to my house himself, but my fear was someone inspired by him would come and attack me or my children."

"My youngest daughter was 13 then and she burst into tears when I told her there may be somebody who wants to hurt her."

### WORD OF

**HIPPOPOTOMON-STROSESQUIE-DALIOPHOBIA:**  
Fear of long words.

### THE DAY

## Ice man runneth

A GRANDAD claims to have broken a world record for running the length of Iceland solo.

Glen Baddeley completed the 460-mile feat in 10 days and 11 hours.

The 51-year-old, of Stoke-on-Trent, Staffs, said: "I've run off and on since my early 20s. This is the most extreme."

### SPIRITUAL UPLIFT

PEOPLE who are strongly religious have happier sex lives as they tend to wait for someone special, says the University of Exeter.

# Sunset for Indian summer



THE sea is bathed in the golden glow of sunset at Hunstanton in Norfolk. It comes as Britain gets ready to enjoy an Indian summer from the end of the month, following the weekend's polar plunge. Experts are predicting a string of sunny, balmy 24C days until mid-October in a marked shift from the 4C endured by mourners queuing in London at the weekend.

Picture: VERONICA JOHANSSON POLITNEY/BAW MEDIA

# POGBA BRO ON BLACKMAIL RAP



TOGETHER: Mathias Pogba, left, and Paul

by COLIN MILLAR

THE brother of Paul Pogba has been charged over an alleged £11million blackmail plot against the former Manchester United star.

Mathias Pogba, 32, was detained with three others by French police and put under "formal investigation".

It comes after Paul, 29, now playing for Juventus in Italy, claimed Mathias was part of a "group-organised extortion attempt" which also involved

## Arrest after ex-Man Utd star alleged '£11m plot'

childhood friends. He alleged he was kidnapped at gunpoint and ordered to pay them £11m for "protection".

Mathias denies the allegations. His lawyer Yassine Bouzrou said: "We are going to challenge this decision. My

client has committed no criminal offence. We do not understand the decision to keep him in custody, especially as he has an alibi for the night of the alleged kidnap."

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## A global goodbye

**MILLIONS** of mourners will pause to pay tribute to the Queen as she's laid to rest today.

Emotions will be running high as the nation says a final goodbye to this remarkable woman.

Many of us will raise a glass as we toast the late monarch to thank her for her service.

World leaders have gathered in London to show their respect for the late monarch while billions tune in to watch the state funeral on TV.

It is set to be the most-watched telly event in history.

*And it follows an extraordinary few days which have seen a huge outpouring of grief from the public.*

The strength of feeling on display shows how much she meant to so many people.

It is all fitting for a woman who lived such an impeccable life.

*She gave everything to her country.*

No-one else could have done the job anywhere near as well as she did.

**Thank you, Ma'am.**

## Milking us yet again

**THE cost-of-living crisis is having a massive impact on household budgets.**

Surging food prices and energy costs are forcing many of us to tighten our belts.

Over the past few weeks everyday items have become increasingly unaffordable.

We've seen the bizarre spectacle of security tags being put on goods such as Lurpak butter.

It now looks like milk could be the next highly sought-after product.

This is because it could soon cost more to put it in your tea than petrol in your car.

Soaring milk prices mean that, in some areas, it's already now cheaper to buy fuel for your vehicle.

**And that's bad news for all of us who love a cuppa!**

## Hoff limits

**DAVID Hasselhoff is desperate for a break.**

He's had enough of the hassle of being The Hoff!

## 15 FORTFUL FACTS ABOUT ROYAL CASTLE



**AFTER** the Queen's funeral at Westminster Abbey today, Her Majesty will be laid to rest in St George's Chapel at Windsor Castle – which is said to have been her favourite home.

The 900-year-old Royal residence in Berkshire is the oldest and largest inhabited castle in the world.

**Now JAMES MOORE** has put together 15 more fascinating facts about the landmark...



# Windsor awe

**1** Begun in the 11th century by William the Conqueror and originally a wooden fortress, the castle took 16 years to build and was designed to be a day's march from the Tower of London.

**2** Home to 40 monarchs since Henry I moved in, it was rebuilt in stone by Henry II and besieged twice during the reign of King John.

**3** Over the centuries the castle has been expanded by other monarchs including Edward III, who also established the Order of the Garter – its knights still proceed through the castle each year. George IV added romantic battlements and scaled up its famous Round Tower.

**4** St George's Chapel, dating to 1475, is famous for its 76 heraldic statues of beasts such as lions and dragons. It's the last resting place of 10 monarchs including Henry VIII and Charles I, imprisoned there before his execution in 1649.

**5** The Queen will be buried in George VI Memorial Chapel, a 1969 annex where King George VI and the Queen Mother are buried, and the ashes of Princess Margaret, the Queen's sister, are interred.

**6** Prince Philip's funeral was at the chapel after he died at Windsor in 2021. His body will be moved from the Royal Vault to be with the Queen.

**7** The venue also hosted a blessing for the marriage of



**BLAZE:** The fire in 1992. Above, George V & Queen Mary in the Garter Procession of 1913

Prince Charles and Camilla in 2005, and Prince Harry's wedding to Meghan Markle in 2018.

**8** The castle was a favourite of Elizabeth I. Shakespeare's play *The Merry Wives of Windsor* is believed to have been performed for her there.

**9** Queen Charlotte is thought to have decorated Britain's first Christmas tree at Windsor in 1800, a practice popularised by Queen Victoria and Prince

Albert, who died there in 1861.

**10** In World War One George V changed the Royal family's name to the House of Windsor. The Queen spent much of World War Two there. It's said Hitler hoped to make it his British HQ.

**11** The castle was nearly demolished after the Civil War and nearly destroyed in a fire in 1992, a year the Queen called her "annus horribilis". The restoration cost £37million.

**12** In 2003, "comic"

Aaron Barschak gate-crashed Prince William's 21st birthday at the castle wearing fancy dress.

**13** Today the castle covers 13 acres, has 1,000 rooms, 450 clocks, the world's largest dollhouse and a 175ft-long table in St George's Hall. There's a kitchen with a 250-egg whisk and an 18,000-bottle wine cellar.

**14** It is allegedly home to 25 ghosts including George III, seen in the window of the room where he was once confined during bouts of "madness".

**15** Around 500 people work at the castle. Opened to tourists in the 1740s, it now attracts around a million visitors a year.

**RESIDENTS:** Henry II and John



## THE BRAINBOX

### BRAINS OF BRITAIN

We asked you to name a major character from *The Flintstones* and now you have the theme tune stuck in your head. Sorry:

- 1 Barney
- 2 Fred
- 3 Wilma
- 4 Bamm-Bamm
- 5 Dino
- 6 Pebbles
- 7 Betty

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- 1** Who is the TV presenter and comedian featured in the picture on the right?
- 2** Which Premier League club have taken England centre back Conor Coady on loan from Wolverhampton Wanderers for the season?

- 3** Which former model and campaigner was the second wife of Paul McCartney?
- 4** Which circus boss did Hugh Jackman play in *The Greatest Showman*?
- 5** Which store has a mascot called Geoffrey the giraffe?

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#### ANSWERS:

1) Russell Howard; 2) Everton; 3) Heather Mills; 4) PT Barnum; 5) Toys R Us.



**GOOD NEWS:** Who's the comic?





STILL SPORTY: Mel C

## Spices same as always

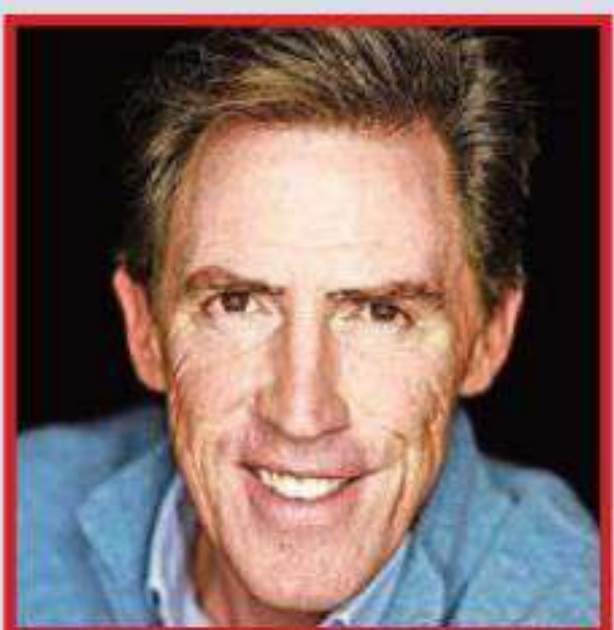
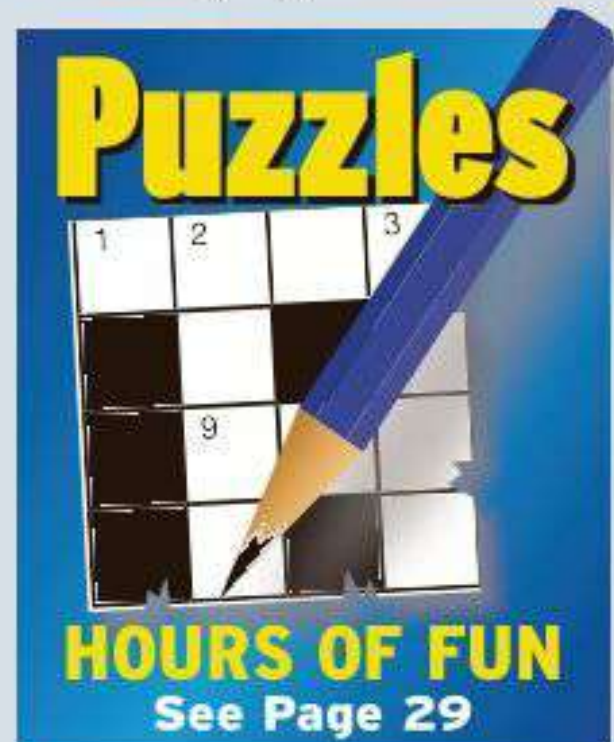
MELANIE C says the Spice Girls are "caricatures" of their alter egos and have not changed over time.

Sporty Spice admits the band acted just like their respective personas during their 2019 reunion.

Mel, 48, said: "When we were rehearsing there were moments when we went, 'We're just d\*\*\*\*\*s.'"

"Mel B will be in leopard print, and I'll be in me trackies. We are caricatures of our nicknames.

"If anyone ever felt it was a marketing idea... if you spent time with us, you'd be like, 'No, they are what they say on the tin.'"



IGNORED: Brydon

## Rob: My bookish heckler

COMEDIAN Rob Brydon has revealed his worst on-stage experience wasn't someone shouting abuse - but a woman who had her head stuck in a book throughout his show.

The woman clearly wasn't in the mood for a laugh as she was engrossed in a read called A History Of Genocide.

It happened when the former Gavin And Stacey actor was performing in Inverness.

Rob, 57, said when asked about his worst ever heckle: "It was a woman sitting on her own reading a book during my show."

- ★ **BRIGHT spark** Jess has brains as well as beauty.
- ★ "I'm now back at college studying psychology for another year," says the 25-year-old Londoner.
- ★ "But don't worry, I'll still be doing shoots for the Star!"
- ★ What a relief, we'd all be needing therapy if she called it a day.

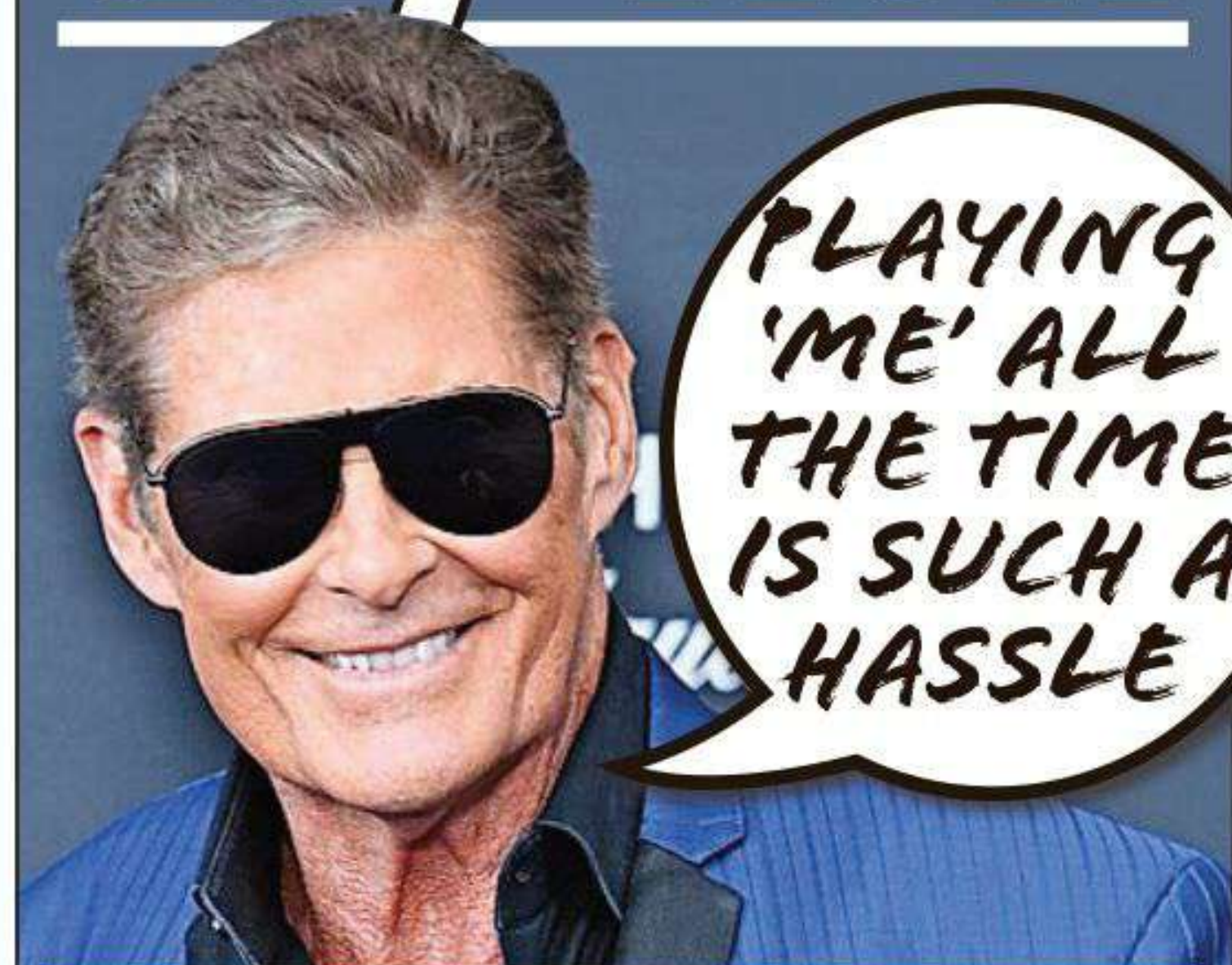
Jess



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# David: I could do with one day Hoff



## LEGEND FEELING FANS' PRESSURE

**DAVID Hasselhoff says he fancies a break from the huge hassle of being The Hoff.**

by JERRY LAWTON

David Hasselhoff, to be charming and funny.

"But sometimes I just want to stay home and watch TV with my wife."

David played Mitch Buchannon in Baywatch for 11 years, starred in Knight Rider for four years and featured in US soap The Young and The Restless for another seven, setting a Guinness World Record as the most watched man on TV.

He has also had a triple platinum album in Europe, No1 singles in Germany and Switzerland and judged Britain's Got Talent and its American equivalent.

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The Baywatch star sees being himself as "work" that he can never escape.

He feels he has to be "charming and funny" at all times to avoid disappointing his fans.

The 70-year-old star told Reader's Digest magazine: "From the moment I wake up it's like I'm The Hoff."

"I'm like, 'Oh my gosh, I've gotta go to work.' I have to be on all the time."

"I wasn't really on yesterday. I was tired the night before and I couldn't sleep."

"It's funny because when I'm working I have to be

## WILLOW SLAPS DOWN TALK

WILLOW Smith has refused to be drawn on dad Will's Oscar slap but said he is "wonderful".

The singer, 21, was asked about the moment Will hit Chris

Rock for cracking a joke about her mum, Jada Pinkett Smith.

Willow said: "I love my dad. My parents are my best friends. They are both wonderful people.

I love them not just because they are my parents but because they are Will and Jada, who have their own beautiful, complex and amazing minds and hearts."



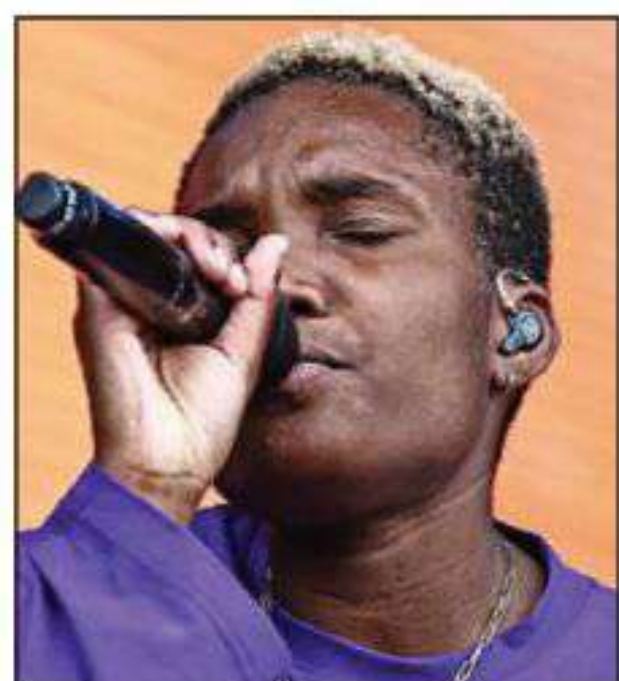
## Class of Kanye

RAPPER Kanye West has opened a school named after his mum.

Donda Academy, in California, has 100 pupils thought to be children of West's friends and other people in showbiz.

It costs £13,000 a year but "everyone is welcome to apply" regardless of situation.





TOUR: Arlo Parks

## Arlo 'in a dark place'

ARLO Parks has pulled out of a string of US concerts, saying her mental health has "deteriorated".

The Mercury Prize and Brit Award winner said she was in a "very dark place, exhausted and dangerously low", and is flying home to the UK to recover.

She told fans on social media how she had been working herself "to the bone" for 18 months.

"It was exciting and I was eager to grind and show everyone what I was capable of, how grateful I was to be where I am today.

"The people around me started to get worried but I was anxious to deliver and afraid to disappoint my fans and myself.

"I pushed myself unhealthily, further and harder than I should've."

The singer added: "It's painful to admit that my mental health has deteriorated to a debilitating place, that I'm not OK, that I'm a human being with limits."

Announcing she was cancelling a clutch of upcoming shows, the 22-year-old said she will restart her tour in Portland, Oregon, on September 26.

### STAR

DONKEYS were first domesticated more than 7,000 years ago in Africa, a major genetic analysis of modern and ancient donkeys by French researchers found.

### BURST

## Suntans shocker

THREE in four people still think suntans are healthy, despite warnings about skin cancer and ageing.

And in Europe eight in 10 say tans are "attractive".

Prof Thierry Passeron, of Nice University Hospital, France, said: "We must drive awareness of damage to skin cells caused by exposure to the sun."

## CROSSBOW ARREST

A MAN, 50, was arrested after a crossbow attack on a man, 32, in Aberavon, South Wales. The victim is in a critical condition.

Pictures: ALANA O'HERLIHY/CR FASHION BOOK



## Sticking up Kylie

★ KYLIE Jenner barely covers up her curves by wearing a top made out of lipsticks.

The reality TV star was wearing her own make-up brand for the cover of CR Fashion Book magazine.

★ Kylie, 25, also posed while lying on the floor with feathers gently falling onto her.



# Mars to put rock into 3D rockets!



DUST THE JOB: Space rock could make rocket parts

## SPARE PARTS FIX FOR RED PLANET

ENGINEERS could 3D-print tools on Mars – made from the planet itself.

■ by POL ALLINGHAM

The breakthrough means crews on future missions will be able to build essentials such as parts to repair rockets.

It is a game-changer as space crafts cannot carry much due to capacity limits and the eye-watering cost of every extra bit of weight. It costs around £47,000, to carry just 1kg of material.

Boffins at Washington State University said small amounts of rock from the Red Planet – pictured right by the Hubble telescope – mixed with metal could create a material strong enough to make vital tools and rocket parts.

Prof Amit Bandyopadhyay said: "In space, 3D printing is something that has to happen if we want to think of a manned mission because we really cannot carry everything from here.

"And if we forgot something, we cannot come back to get it."

The team used a powder-based 3D printer to mix up regolith – a substance similar to Martian rock – with titanium alloy, a metal commonly used in space exploration because it is strong and heat-resistant.

A laser heated up the materials to 2,000C. The melted mixture then flowed into a moving platform where researchers could shape it into various objects.

Once it cooled, strength tests showed it was a winner. And the team reckon they can make even better composites using different metals and techniques.

Prof Bandyopadhyay added: "This establishes that it is possible, and maybe we should think in this direction because it's not just making plastic parts which are weak but metal-ceramic composite parts which are strong and can be used for any kind of structural parts."

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EPIC: Nathan, centre

## 67 pubs for love of dogs

A DOG lover is claiming a world record after visiting 67 boozers in 17 hours.

Recruitment manager Nathan Crimp, 22, trekked more than 18 miles on his epic pub crawl around Brighton on Saturday.

During the challenge, to raise money for the Dogs Trust, he downed lager, "baby Guinness" shots, tequila, rosé, prosecco, J2O, apple juice and water.

He finished at 4am yesterday, passing Gareth Murphy's world record of 56 pubs in 24 hours.

Accompanied by pals Ollie and Archie, he said: "It was easily the hardest thing I've ever done."

"The plan was to try and keep it sober for the first 25 pubs, but that went out the window 15 pubs in."

Nathan added: "Since Covid, dog shelters such as Dogs Trust have been overwhelmed with dogs now needing a home. This comes at a cost."

## Firms' energy lifeline

FIRMS will be thrown a lifeline this week with an "effective" cap on their electricity and gas costs.

It is likely the Government will strike a deal with energy companies to limit the cost per unit of energy that businesses pay and make up the difference with a subsidy.

The move comes after a £2,500 a year price cap was announced for domestic users.

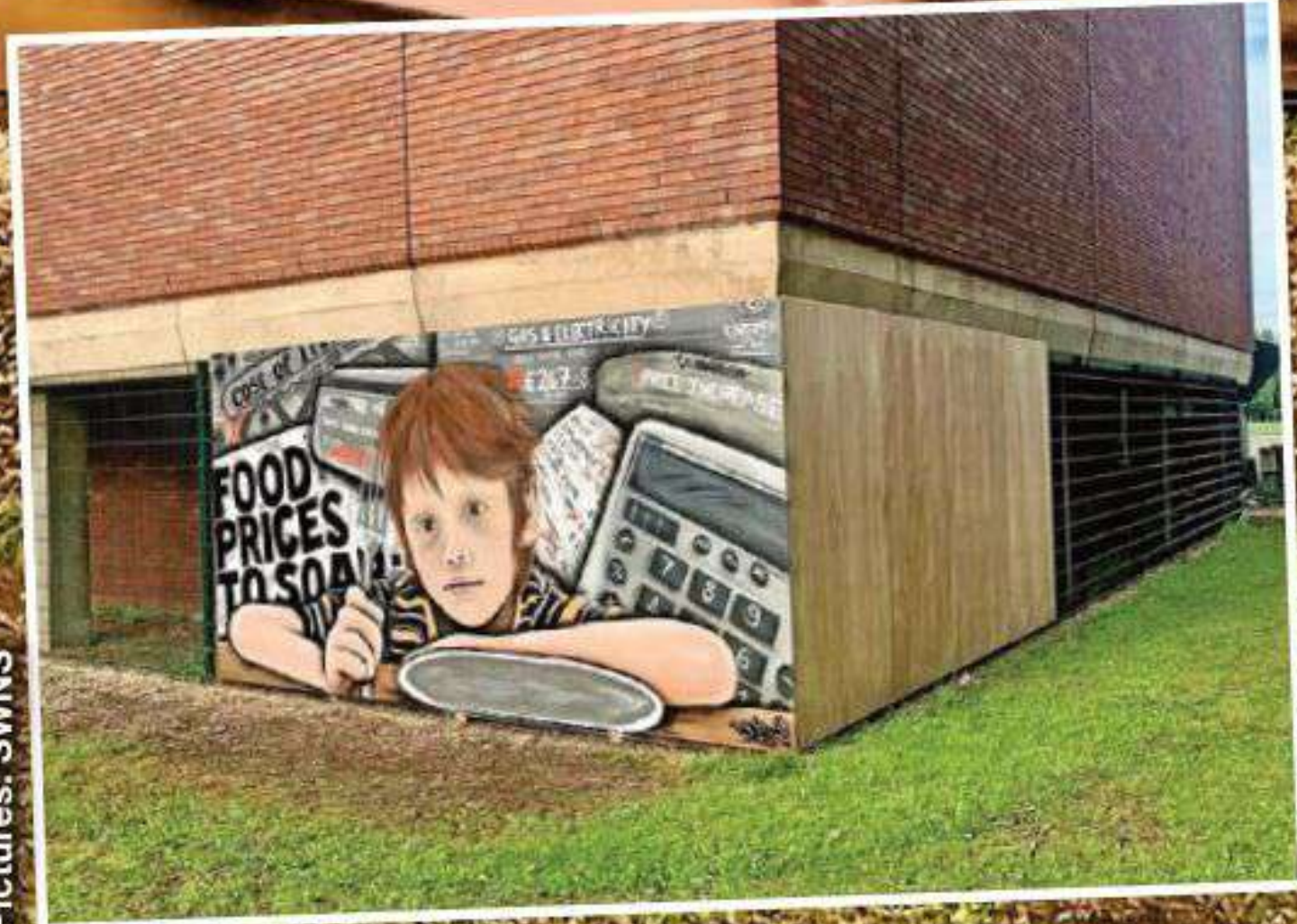
Companies have said that many will go to the wall without help.

They are facing a six-fold rise in the price they pay for gas and electricity.

Earlier this month, Prime Minister Liz Truss said firms would get "equivalent" support to home users.

It is expected the aid for businesses will be introduced next month when Parliament returns.

But bosses fear it may not actually come into effect before November, by which time many will have already had to sign new and expensive deals.



Pictures: SWNS

## Art breaking

★ A MURAL on the cost of living has been removed – despite the artist having permission to paint the wall.

Town hall bosses said Karl Barfoot's artwork, featuring a child with an empty plate, "violated council policy".

★ Karl, who painted it on a leisure centre, said: "We're in a cost-of-living crisis – I thought it'd be a good idea to do what's going on in the world."

The street artist, of Spalding, Lincs, admitted changing his first design but added: "It was a spur-of-the-moment decision, it's about being creative."

★ Fellow local artist Joey Lowe accused the council of trying to "silence" artists. Cllr Gary Taylor, of South Holland District Council, said the Castle Sports Complex art should have featured "sports and the environment".

# MILK SHAKER!

## Pint will cost more than fuel

by PAUL DONNELLEY

**BUYING milk could soon be more expensive than petrol as prices are turbo-charged.**

The cost of milk has soared by two-thirds in the past year, reaching 86p a pint – the equivalent of £1.50 a litre.

Although petrol hit a record 191p a litre earlier this year, it has been falling steadily and in some places is already down to almost £1.50.

And it is predicted to drop further, meaning milk could be more expensive than the motoring fuel.

Trade magazine The Grocer reported: "Dairy is at the sharp end of food and drink price increases, with milk leading the charge."

"The average price of semi-skimmed milk has seen a market change since July and at an average 86p has increased 65% year on year."

Petrol prices could fall a further 15p, which would take the current average price of £1.66 right down to the current cost for a litre of milk.

The high cost of cow juice is partly due to other prices rising, including electricity and fuel for lorries.

Electricity is required for milking machines, processing and refrigeration, while the cost of milk



PUMPED UP: Milk price could soar past petrol

churns has also risen. And diesel or petrol is needed for transportation.

It is cheaper to buy milk in bulk but this is not normally an option for older people on a budget or those living alone.

Semi-skimmed milk, however, can be stored in the freezer.

National Farmers' Union president Minette Batters said: "Costs are rising rapidly on farms across the country."

The cost of fuel is artificially high because of short supplies.

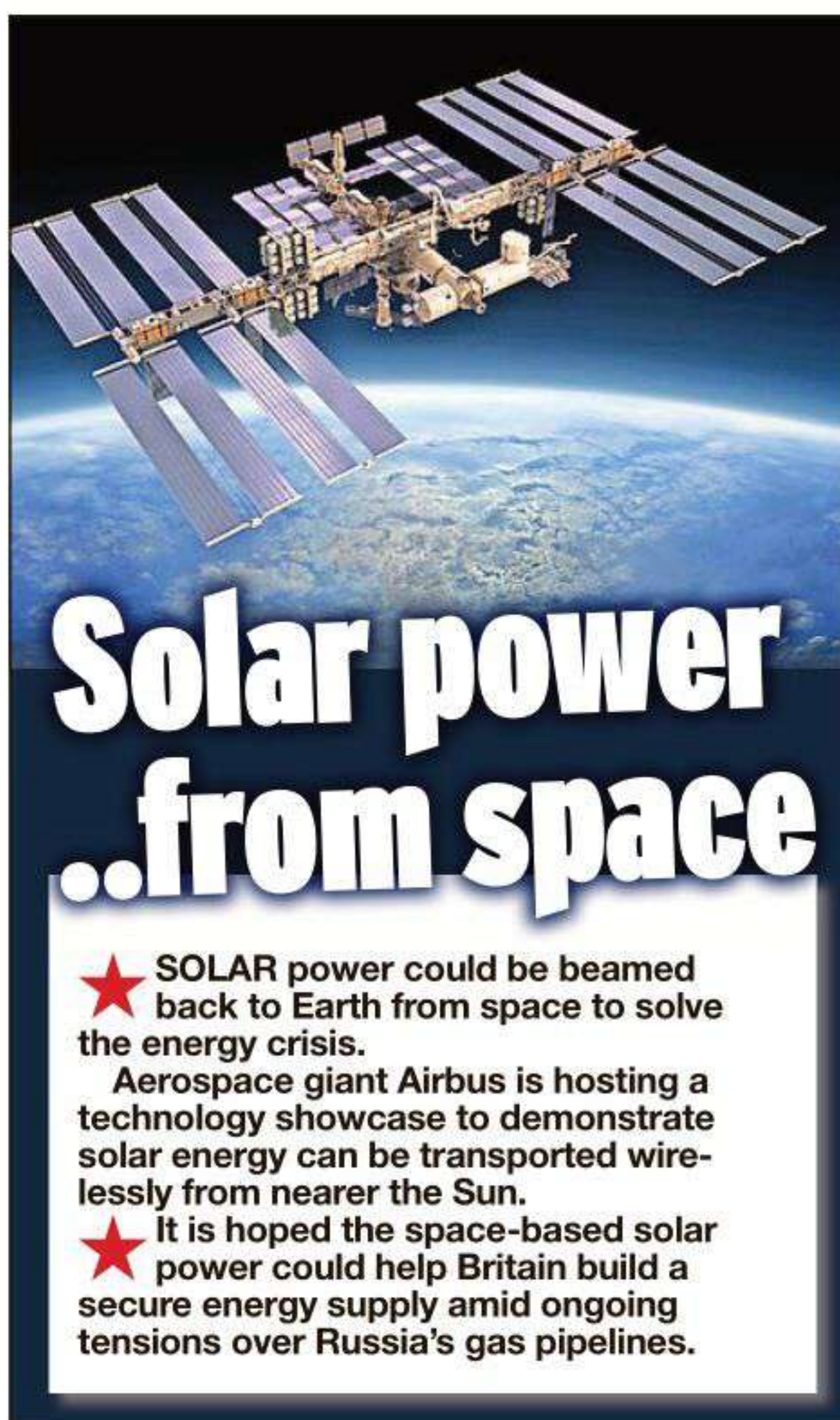
The AA said: "There is hope prices

will continue to fall by as much as 15p as rising interest rates and the threat of global recession creates a decline in demand, which should enable the oil supply to stabilise."

Meanwhile, new chancellor Kwasi Kwarteng is preparing to hold a mini-budget on Friday as the country's financial woes deepen. He is expected to announce £30 billion of tax cuts in a bid to boost the economy as well as reversing April's national insurance rise.

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## Solar power ..from space

★ **SOLAR power could be beamed back to Earth from space to solve the energy crisis.**

Aerospace giant Airbus is hosting a technology showcase to demonstrate solar energy can be transported wirelessly from nearer the Sun.

★ It is hoped the space-based solar power could help Britain build a secure energy supply amid ongoing tensions over Russia's gas pipelines.





**WIRED**

**DAVID Guetta and Bebe Rexha** could knock Lewis Capaldi off No1.

I'm Good (Blue) has climbed to the top off the single charts over the weekend, while **Anne-Marie's Psycho** is set for the Top 20.

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**LEWIS Capaldi** has confirmed rumours that he wrote for **Kygo** under a pseudonym.

Before he was ready to make his huge comeback with No1 tune *Forget Me*, Lew worked on a song called *Lost Without You* under the name of **Anita Jobby**.

The singer/songwriter explained: "I didn't want the press to think, 'Oh, Lewis Capaldi has written this song for Kygo.' "So a jobby, for anyone who doesn't know, is a poo. Jobby is a number two in Scottish speak."

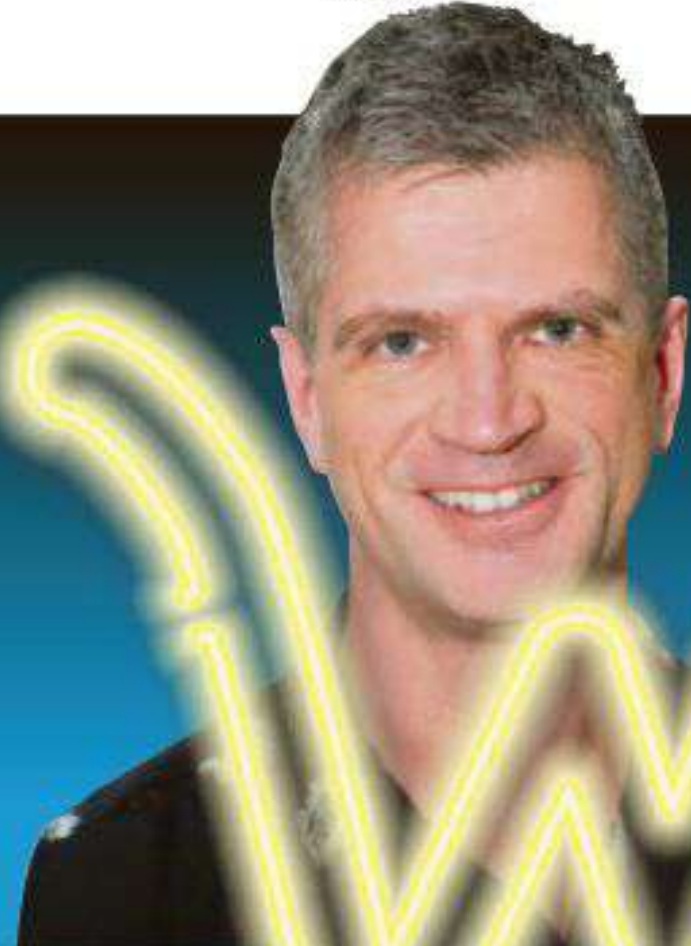
**WIRED**

**LIL Nas X** will release a new single this Friday.

The track is called *Star Walkin* and the US rapper insisted it is the "best song of all time".

We'll be the judge of that...

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# Tom's upstairs to Bedford @10

GREY'S ANATOMY  
AND HEAD DOWN  
FOR GRENNAN...

**FORGET** showbiz parties – **Tom Grennan** would rather be curled up at home watching *Grey's Anatomy*.

Despite topping the charts with his second album, becoming an international jet-setter is off the cards for the homebody from Bedford.

Tom told me: "I don't go out. I love being at home. I hate being out, to be honest with you."

"I am in bed by 10, and I am watching *Grey's Anatomy* at the moment and it is actually sick."

"I said I would never watch it and then I got dragged into it by the missus, and I was like 'oh God' but love it."

"Now I am the one that's like, 'Do you wanna watch another one?'"

The 27-year-old insists he needs his beauty sleep too: "I have to get eight hours. It has to be eight

hours. I really do feel it if I don't get at the very least six."

When he's not watching dramas, or sleeping, the singer is in the studio because he feels like he still has a lot to prove.

Tom admitted: "I have had moments in my career where I have been like, 'Look, two fingers up to you!'"

"I am really, really just trying to take over the world with my music."

His forthcoming third LP is almost ready and he teased: "It is all just fun, exciting and music that will get you moving."

"I feel in a place where I am just happy, but I know for a lot of people it is a struggle at the moment."

"The world we live in financially, politically – it is hard."

"So I want to make music that will help people escape."

"Let's put our hands up and have a dance!"



## OUR BECK'S AMERICAN DREAMING

OUR girl **Becky Hill** is one step closer to cracking America.

Already a pop sensation over here, she has just performed her first ever US sold-out show – in San Francisco.

The History songstress took a moment to reflect on how far she's come since touring as Rudimental's vocalist.

She wrote online: "I remember coming to San Fran when I was 19 with rudimental..."

"My first tour, first time on a plane, wasn't even signed, afterglow wasn't released yet & it was around 18 months after being on tv."

Becky added a US solo tour has always been her "ambition".



## Taylor back in the studio with Jack

**TAYLOR Swift** has been working with **Jack Antonoff** again.

The producer has previously worked on Swift's five latest albums, and she's enlisted his help yet again for the forthcoming LP *Midnights*.

The singer confirmed the partnership by sharing a short behind-the-scenes clip on her Instagram feed, where she and Jack are sat by the piano.

You know what they say – if it ain't broke, don't fix it!





JAMES CABOOTER'S

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All week



## DUA HAS CHANGE ON WAY

NOTHING is off the table for **Dua Lipa's** next record.

After channelling 80s pop for Future Nostalgia, she plans to keep her fans on their toes with her forthcoming third LP.

Speaking to Elle, Dua teased: "I like to do things a lot of the time that are unexpected. It makes for an exciting song."

"In this day and age, there's no such thing as a genre, so when two artists come together it's just what they create together that makes it so exciting, and that's what I love."

"It becomes a sound all on its own, and that's how I go about it."

Read more at Elle.com.



## STORMY GAGA

**LADY Gaga** was forced to end the final show of her Chromatica Ball tour early because of lightning.

A frightening storm in Miami meant Mother Monster had to stop the concert halfway through.

Gaga later reached out to her disappointed fans with an emotional Instagram post.

She shared: "I'm sorry I couldn't finish the show. It was too dangerous. The lightning was being unpredictable and changing moment by moment. I love you."

"Look, for years some of you have called me 'mother monster'."

"In my heart I knew it was better to keep you safe."

Gaga went on to say it has been "the greatest tour of my life" and she's glad to be "alive".



## Alice a big fan of Bananarama ma

**SARA Dallin's** daughter **Alice D** is **Bananarama's** biggest fan.

The rising star plays her mum's 80s bangers on repeat over her own music.

Alice told me: "I've grown up going to their gigs, tours, studio sessions, so I feel like their music is also the soundtrack to my life."

"We've played their new album a lot in the car at full

volume, which sounds great. Cruel Summer is an anthem I play often!"

Alice explored further than that when writing her new EP Into The Light, explaining: "I feel like I've found my sound, which is a liberating experience."

"I listened to a lot of vinyl from around the world when I was creating the EP - there's some African, Latin, Flamenco styles mixed with R&B/soul elements."



## DRAGONS SINGER DAN'S SPLIT...

**IMAGINE Dragons** frontman **Dan Reynolds** has split from his wife.

After more than 10 years of marriage, the star announced he and fellow singer **Aja Volkman** have gone their separate ways.

Dan tweeted: "I am saddened to say that after many beautiful years together Aja and I have separated."

"Being great parents to our children is our number one priority. "Thank you for always supporting us with love and care for all these years."

The announcement comes after they originally split in 2018 but shortly after reconciled.

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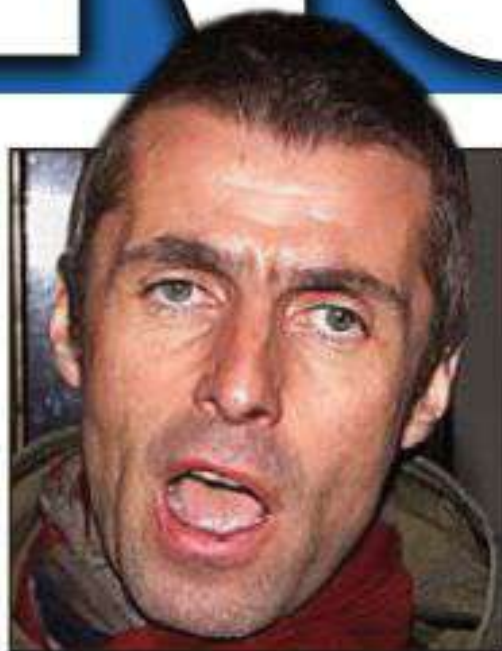
TWO lucky players have scooped £1million each in Saturday's Lotto – matching five of the six numbers. An estimated £5.2m jackpot is now up for grabs on Wednesday.

## Mug off diabetes

DOWNING four mugs of tea a day lowers type 2 diabetes risk by 17%.

Chinese boffins called the findings, from data on 1million people, "exciting".

# NOT YOU BRUV



BIRTHDAY: Liam

■ BY AARON TINNEY  
**LIAM** Gallagher will tear up Mustique for his 50th – but brother Noel will not be there.

The ex-Oasis hellraiser, whose big day is on Wednesday, has splurged around £30,000 on a villa. Family and friends will

## Liam party snub for Noel

make the trip to the posh Caribbean island but not estranged Noel, 55, right.

A source said: "Liam has hired a really flash private villa which has a

private beach for a week-long celebration. He wanted to go somewhere where he wouldn't have people taking pictures.

"He keeps joking that

what happens on Mustique stays on Mustique, so we're expecting a big bash."

Mustique is a

small, private island in the West Indies and a favourite with royals and politicians.

It was a regular holiday location for the late Princess Margaret.

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James Innes, best-selling careers author and founder of The CV Centre, solves your work problems...

## Baby blues over leave

Dear James,

I'm four months pregnant and planning to take at least nine months of maternity leave. I had a formal conversation with my boss about my plans.

She told me there are no plans to hire cover for me when I'm off and that other members of the team will share my role. I'm concerned that when I come back I will be made redundant if they realise that my job can be done by other people.

She told me verbally that this wasn't the case. Am I right to be concerned?

Jenny, Sunderland



Picture posed by models

WORRIED: Job security 'at risk'

find that you have absolutely nothing to worry about and that your role is guaranteed.

However, it is probably fair to say that there are no guarantees! So to provide you with an additional layer of reassurance, you may want to ask your boss if she is prepared to confirm in writing that your position will be secure upon your return.

James says:

**TAKING at least nine months off is well within your rights. Have a good look at your contract to see what provision is made for employees returning to work after maternity leave. You may**

**Top tip**  
GONE are the days of the "gentlemen's agreement". If you want security, always get verbal deals confirmed in writing!

## BOOK YOUR RETURN

EVERYONE knows you have to give your employer adequate notice – in writing – before taking time off work. But not everybody is aware you also have to give your employer notice when you are returning to work after an extended period of absence, for example maternity or paternity leave.

If someone has been hired on a temporary basis to cover your position, this ensures the company can give them adequate notice that their role will be coming to an end and to then prepare for your return. The notice period required is usually about two months (but always check your company's policy on this), and this should always be submitted in writing.

**GOT A QUESTION FOR JAMES?**

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# PROBLEMS MOUNTING FOR PUTIN



POSTER: In the loos

## Troops pee off Russia

VLADIMIR Putin's military dissenters have had their faces plastered above urinals in a bid to shame them.

A video shared on the Telegram app showed posters of young officers in uniform hanging above loos.

A caption beneath the portraits read: "They are a disgrace to the Guards' Unit."

An official document apparently drafted by



CLAIMS: Soldier

commanders from Russia's Eastern Military District was posted next to the footage, reading: "Refused to perform a combat mission. Prone to betrayal!"

It comes after the Ukrainian military said Russia was struggling to find troops to replenish its depleted army.

A string of successful Ukrainian operations has sapped morale among Putin's troops, prompting desertions.

Moscow recently flew helicopters over Ukraine in a bid to round up fleeing soldiers.

### FACT OF

**MORE** than 54,000 Russian soldiers have died since Putin invaded Ukraine on February 24. Some 2,100 tanks have been destroyed.

**THE DAY**



**FLOWERS** have been left at a mass burial site where more than 440 bodies were discovered. They were found in the city of Izium in Ukraine after Russian troops were forced out. The grave contained civilian adults and children, and soldiers.

Pictures: GETTY, REUTERS

# Blunder pressure



ERRORS: The tyrant

by JERRY LAWTON

**VLADIMIR** Putin's Ukraine invasion is failing, according to the head of Britain's armed forces.

The Russian president is coming up short "on all of his military strategic objectives", the Chief of the Defence Staff Admiral Sir Tony Radakin said.

He told the BBC's Sunday With Laura Kuenssberg show: "At the very outset we said that this was a strategic error by Putin and strategic errors lead to strategic consequences."

"And in this instance it's strategic failure. Putin is failing on

## VLAD INVASION A FLOP SAYS UK DEFENCE CHIEF

all of his military strategic objectives. He wanted to subjugate Ukraine. That's not going to happen. He wanted to take control of the capital. We saw that that was defeated earlier on.

"He wanted to weaken Nato. Nato is now much stronger and we have Finland and Sweden joining. He wants to break the

international resolve. Well that strengthened over this period and he's under pressure."

Sir Tony also said Putin's problems were mounting, with his troops being driven back by Ukrainian forces who have recaptured vast areas.

He said: "He's always had a problem in terms of crewing the

equipment that he's got. He hasn't got sufficient manpower.

"We're also seeing a magnificent Ukrainian armed forces who have been courageous."

"They're fighting for their country and they've embraced the international support that all of us are providing."

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# MIKE WARD'S BIG STREAM

## MINX (Paramount+) ★★★★★

AS magazine titles go, *The Matriarchy Awakens* isn't the snappiest.

But then the person behind this proposed new publication is a woman on a mission, fighting for sexual equality.



Paramount+'s new comedy set in early-70s Los Angeles stars Ophelia Lovibond as Joyce Prigger, a proud feminist but not the most commercially savvy businesswoman.

Approaching her with an alternative idea is Jake Johnson's character Doug Renetti, whose magazine company Bottom Dollar Publications takes a more down-to-earth approach.

The businessman suggests they join forces, but with a few tweaks to the format Joyce had in mind. Most significantly, for maximum reader appeal, he wants the mag - with *Minx* as its new title - to feature a fella with his kit off as a centrefold in every issue.



**TREBLE TROUBLE:**  
From left, May, Clarkson and Hammond

# Arctic is no stroll CHILLY FOR TOURISTS

## THE GRAND TOUR PRESENTS: A SCANDI FLICK (Prime Video)

★★★★

YEP, farmer Jeremy Clarkson and his chums Richard Hammond and James May are off on yet another of their frantic four-wheeled adventures, this time taking them to the Scandinavian Arctic Circle.

And why the hell would they want to go there, I hear you ask.

Beautiful as it may be, it's also kind of bleak and bone-chillingly cold.

Well, because it means they can undertake a unique challenge, set for them by Grand Tour producer Andy Wilman.

With each of the presenters at the

wheel of his favourite rally car - and to determine which of those vehicles is best - they must drive across Norway, Sweden and Finland, without dropping below the Arctic Circle.

"And you must get to Ivalo Airport near the Russian border by 5pm on Saturday," Wilman's text adds, "because that's when your plane back to the UK leaves."

Jezza's first response, having figured this gives them six days to cover around 600 miles?

"It doesn't sound very

tricky," he says.

But, as May in particular is about to discover, it's a route on which taking risks can have terrifying consequences.



## FATE: THE WINX SAGA - SEASON TWO (Netflix)

★★★

BACK we go to the magical boarding school, where kids blessed with various fairy-like powers must learn to come to terms with who they are and what they are capable of.

That, and to navigate more familiar everyday obstacles such as friendships, fallouts and the forces of pure evil (yep, them again).



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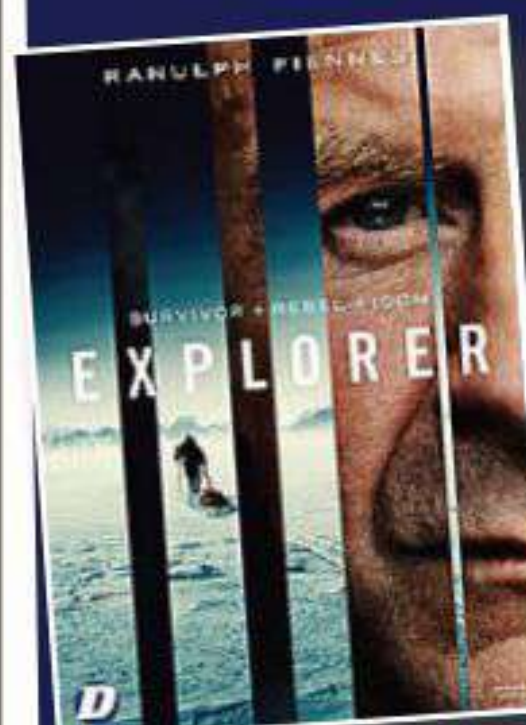
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## Call for calm on streets

POLICE in Leicester are appealing for peace after another night of violence.

The clash among young men was the latest following a Pakistan-India cricket game on August 28.

Disorder broke out as crowds filled streets in the east of the city and a video showed a man pulling down a flag outside a religious building.

Section 60 stop and search powers were made available to police and two men were arrested.

Leicestershire's temporary chief constable, Rob Nixon, appealed to the public saying: "Please do not get involved, we are calling for calm."

## Obese women pill risk

OBESE women taking the combined pill are 24 times more likely to develop life-threatening blood clots, researchers found.

The combined pill contains a synthetic version of oestrogen – a hormone which can cause venous thromboembolism (VTE).

The condition reduces blood flow to organs – potentially triggering heart attacks or strokes.

Professor Giuseppe Rosano, of Italy's San Raffaele Pisana scientific institute in Rome, said: "Evidence indicates obesity and combined oral contraceptives affect VTE risk and this should be considered in prescribing decisions."

## Coastal fortress is £55k

A COASTAL fort built to keep out Napoleon and set in 26 acres of countryside is for sale – for just £55,000.

There is just one catch as the plot in Dungeness, Kent, is a Site of Special Scientific Interest so can be enjoyed by its owner but not developed.

The fort is believed to have been built in 1798.

Kevin Gilbert, from Clive Emson Auctioneers, said: "The majority of it is SSSI so whatever people decide they think they could do with it they'll need to make their own investigations."

"It's just a lovely piece of land with a little bit of historic interest."

An SSSI is protected due to its precious wildlife, plantlife or geology.

# DAILY STAR TOPS FOR TELLY DAILY STAR TOPS FOR TELLY



## STACEY MAKES A STINK

**PREGNANT** Stacey Dooley admits she caused a stink while playing Prawn Cocktail in The Masked Dancer.

The TV investigative reporter, 35, had morning sickness when filming the ITV show.

Posting a photo on social media munching on a packet of prawn cocktail crisps, she said: "A dancing prego prawn."

"So sorry to my gorgeous runner I just know my dressing room stank of sickness."



## Craig's close-up

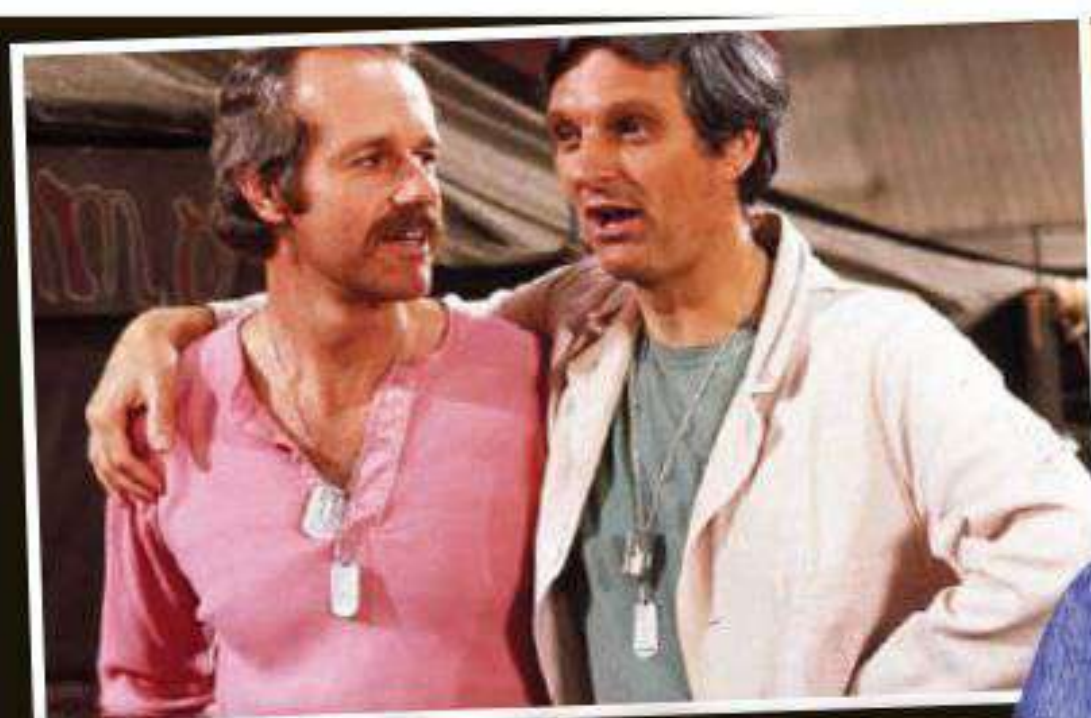
★ **STRICTLY** show judge Craig Revel Horwood holds on tight to pro dancer Kevin Clifton.

The pair posted pictures of them rehearsing some moves. Craig is

behind a new touring production of stage musical **Strictly Ballroom**.

★ And he has cast Kevin – Stacey Dooley's fella – as the lead. The new series of **Strictly** starts on Friday.

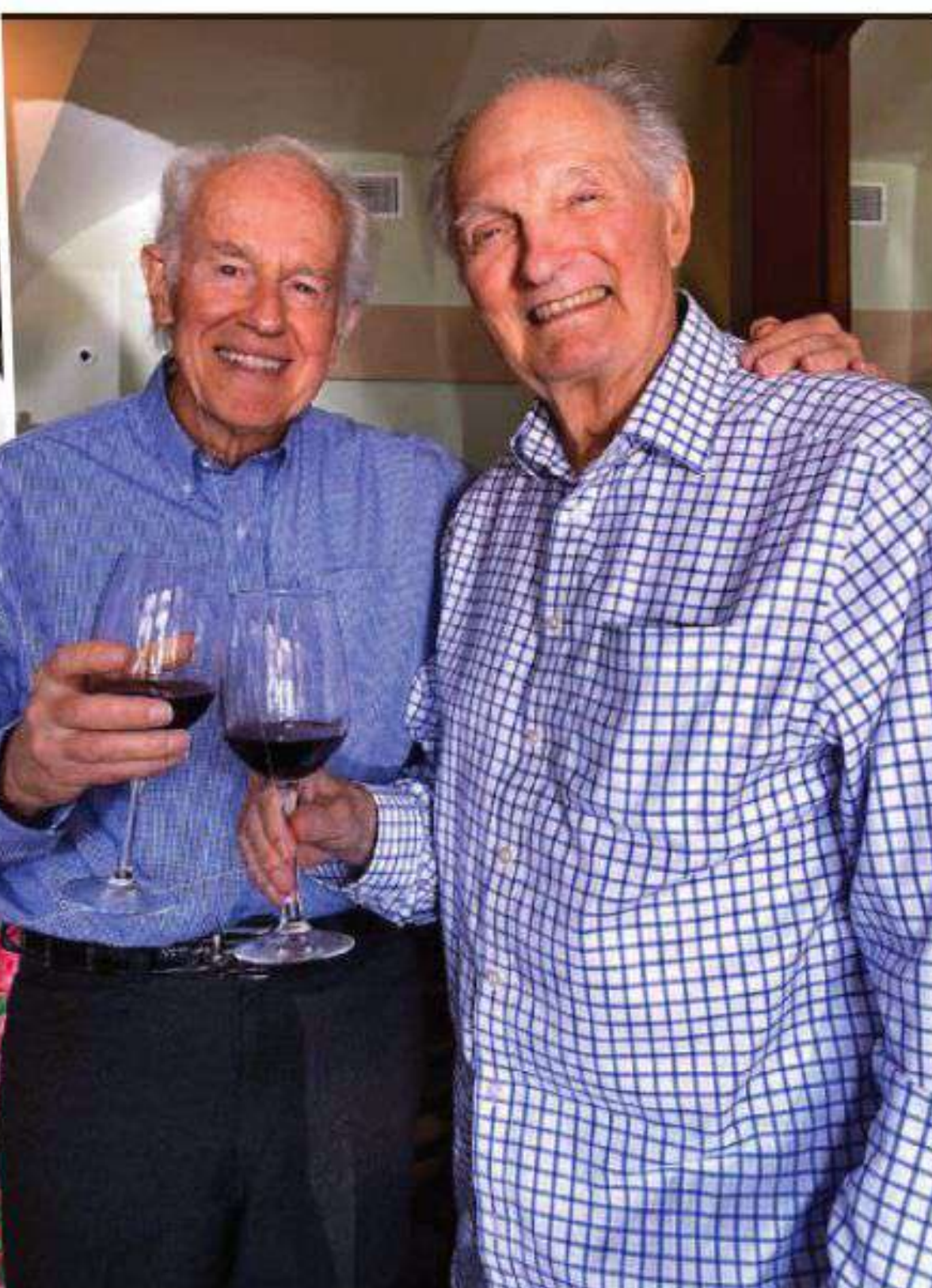
# WIMBO SUE: I WAS LUCKY TO BE BORN



## M\*A\*S\*H REUNITE

★ **STARS** from M\*A\*S\*H raise a glass together to toast the iconic show's 50th anniversary.

★ Alan Alda, who played Hawkeye Pierce, and Mike Farrell, who was Captain BJ Hunnicutt, were at the reunion on Saturday. Alan tweeted: "MASH was a great gift to us."



## Mum's DIY abortion bid over money woe

**SUE Barker has revealed her mum almost terminated her pregnancy with a DIY abortion.**

The former Wimbledon host and tennis ace, 66, was an unplanned third child.

And she said her mum Betty downed gin and "bounced down the stairs" in an attempt to terminate the pregnancy as she was terrified there was not enough cash to bring her up.

Sue said: "My dad worked really hard, but they had just budgeted for two kids and

■ **by AARON TINNEY**

they didn't have a lot of money left over.

"Then, a few months after my brother was born, suddenly my mum Betty was pregnant again."

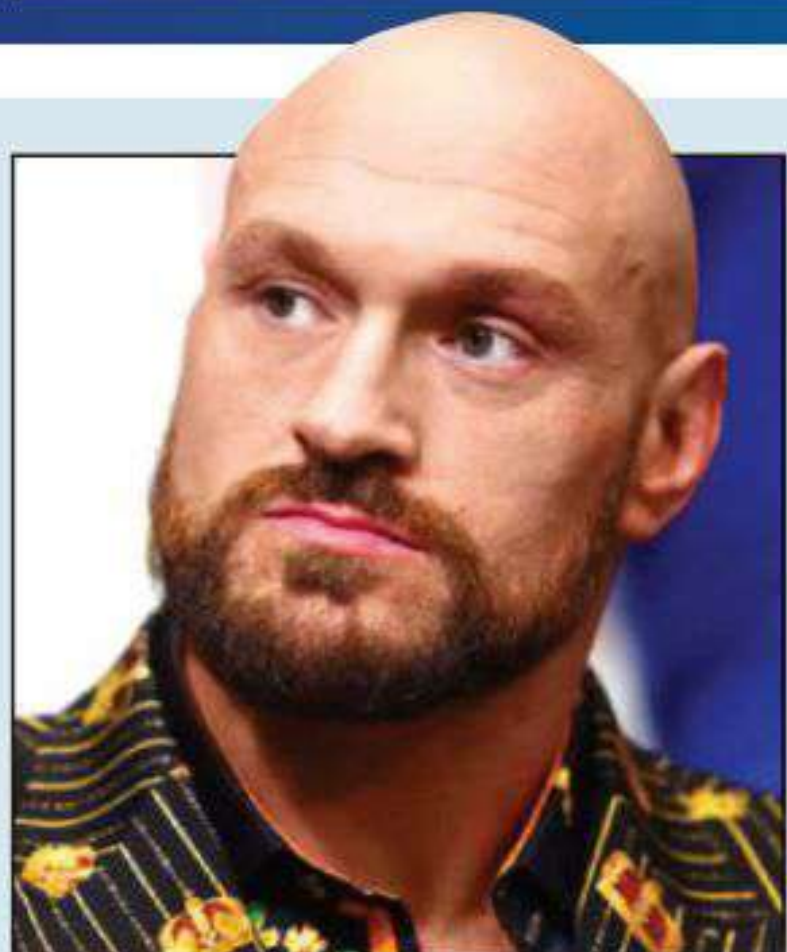
"She always said to me, 'I didn't want you. I feel so bad about it.'"

Sue said that despite her now-dead mum's admission about not wanting her she was extremely close to her parents, who supported her tennis career despite their financial woes.



**SURVIVOR: Barker**



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STAR****TEXT****MANIACS****TEXT DSTAR to 63333**Text **DSTAR** followed by a space, your comment and name to **63333**. Texts cost 50p plus your usual network operator rate. SP: Spoke. Helpdesk: 0333 202 3390.**BOXING CLEVER: Tyson**

## Fury would knock out AJ in just 4 rounds

☐ If Tyson Fury does fight Anthony Joshua, I'll bet a few groats it will be lights out for AJ by the fourth. Put him on strictly - he might win that. **SUNNY JIM**

☐ Jenny and Jennifer from Whitley bay: I agree 'Hills Angels' were hot. Slapstick comedy and how could anyone find it offensive, male or female? **SUNNY JIM**

☐ Cliff Richard couldn't even manage to win Eurovision. It wasn't even political in those days. **Ziggy**

☐ Patzi Norwich: I think you'll find that Cliff Richard failed to win the Eurovision song contest not once, but twice. Some pop star! **Jenny M**

☐ If Cliff Richard is that good, how come certain radio stations snub his music? **POPPY M**

☐ You know you're getting old when your record collection has nothing later than the eighties in it! **JIM**

☐ all you england stars not in present squad don't worry, go back to playing s\*\*\*e - you'll get in - e.g maguire, alex-arnold. win world cup? lucky to get out the group with this tactically inept fool. i'll keep saying it: you'll win nowt with southgate. **basher s-o-t**

☐ im not a man city fan but they showed the whole world how much we loved our queen. their a credit to her, the country & the flag. **jemma, newcastle**

☐ building land available ideal for housing or allotments for strawberry growing ect contact current occupiers RAFC c/o spot-land stadium rochdale. **daleian**

☐ Every Spurs fan knows Merson hates us And like a Privileged Bully just uses his saturday colum to have a dig at us. **THFC BIFFO**



☐ Can't wait for Helen Skelton to appear on Strictly. Pic please. **Ron stepney**

## Rest in peace with Philip Your Majesty

☐ On this day 19.9.22, Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II will be laid to rest with Prince Philip. May God and angels bless and protect their souls for ever. **Love Jayne x**

☐ Goodbye to Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth. May you Rest in Peace. God Save The King. **Farouk Crosshill**

☐ Our Queen. Countless tears are falling, We share our loss and pain, Our beloved Queen in heaven But her love will still remain. **David Maxfield**

☐ David bechham i applaud you sincerely. Joining the queue like most genuine people have to respect the queen lying in state. Not like some MP s who just think they're above the rest and jump to the front. Who do they really think they are. Well done mr bechham. A true gentleman. **bazza 180**

☐ How can schoffield and willoughby jump the queue and say they r filmin 4 their show when no camer-as r allowed? they should have joined the queue like Beckham. **Scousemum**

☐ Why do Willoughby and Schofield think they are special? Why can't they queue as our wonderful people in this country do. Their excuse they queue jumped cos of work, rubbish. Neither work Fri/sat/sun. **Cazzie**

☐ Sunday Star report: Prisoner's Are Ladies Of The Manor. The open prison East Sutton Park in Kent consists of the following punishment: Stunning scenery, country walks by a lake, great food that consists of sumptuous home bred meat from their pigs and lamb etc and Health Care next to none. Compare that to us idiots outside who are grafting

and paying taxes, who are eating cheaper cuts of meat, struggling to pay our bills, using and many using Food banks it seems it's far better in today's crackpot BRITAIN to become a lag. **Tod**

☐ the last thing this country needs at the moment is a group of people gathering outside the met's hq. **clive sweeney, basildon**

☐ We still have moaners about stop search in London these are the men and women who face people like the one who has stabbed two officers in london and are seriously wounded. get well soon to both officers. **Stockton Jeff**

☐ well said John Challenger re the 15ft croc killed by that thick murderer just to show off a magnificent beast killed for fun .. hope karma bites his useless scummy arse. **stig2**

☐ SCORPIONS can ditch their bums to run faster and avoid capture dying months later of constipation They're also hypothesised to survive nuclear attacks hidden behind rocks glowing with radiation. Same boffins with gongs also say successful people are more LUCKY than

talented. Re scorpions lessons to learn it will help if you can with COST OF LIVING CRISIS also SURVIVE seemingly ..... **Brian Linford Pontefract**

☐ People who are willing to pay £13 for a bottle of beer are alcoholics, have too much money or completely stupid and probably all three. **SLURPER**

☐ Why do blokes want to be taller? I'm 5ft 5in tall which makes it easier for me to pick up coins as i'm nearer the ground. **ANON ESSEX**

☐ Growing up in the 40s and 50s as kids we used to play wallie. The harest thing was buying a ball. We would drool over the Frido ball in the shop window. Imagine that nowadays! **WALL-NUT, GUITARMAN**

☐ I played football for my school team and we were beaten 9-0. That was just at half-time, but the ref abandoned the second half to save us further humiliation. **SJ**

☐ re.toilet poets. i was once a cleaner at a college. I was given the job of cleaning the male and female toilets. cleaning the male urinals one day, written above one was 'the future is in your hands.' brought a smile to my face. needless to say i had to clean it off. **country girl**

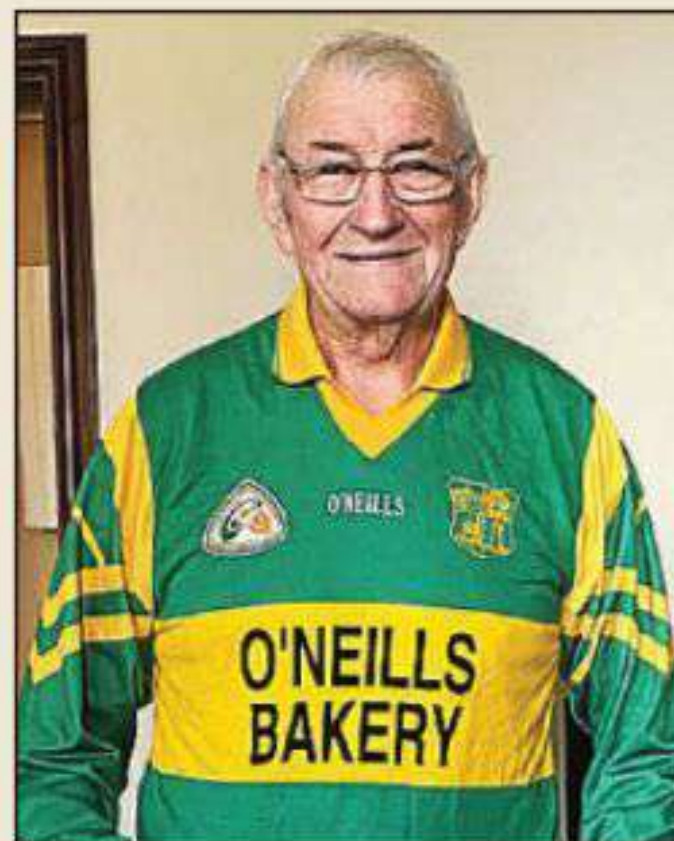
### JOKE OF THE DAY

MY mate has just had a "bypass" it has left him with a "hard shoulder". **tony worksop**

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With Kevin Macdonald. **Nick**

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My pops wearing his team jersey he played for in the sixties. **Nick Woods**

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HUNTER: Caveman

## Caves had baa meals

CAVEMEN were eating lamb chops up to 2,000 years earlier than thought.

Archaeologists analysed 13,000-year-old sheep poo from a stone age camp in Abu Hureyra, Syria.

It showed the animals were farmed for food long before previous estimates.

Prof Alexia Smith, of the University of Connecticut, US, said: "Hunter-gatherers were bringing live animals to Abu Hureyra between 12,800 and 12,300 years ago and keeping them outside of their hut."

"This is almost 2,000 years earlier than what we have seen elsewhere."

## THE GOLDEN YEAR

Can you guess the year from these five clues?

1. The first punk single - New Rose by The Damned - is released.
2. Liverpool win the UEFA Cup for the second time going 4-3 against Belgium's Club Brugge K.V.
3. Carry On legend Sid James dies live on stage at Sunderland's Empire Theatre.
4. At the Winter Olympics, John Curry becomes Britain's first gold medalist.
5. US police drama Starsky & Hutch starring David Soul and Paul Michael Glaser arrives on UK telly.

No Googling! Answer in tomorrow's paper. Friday's year: 2018

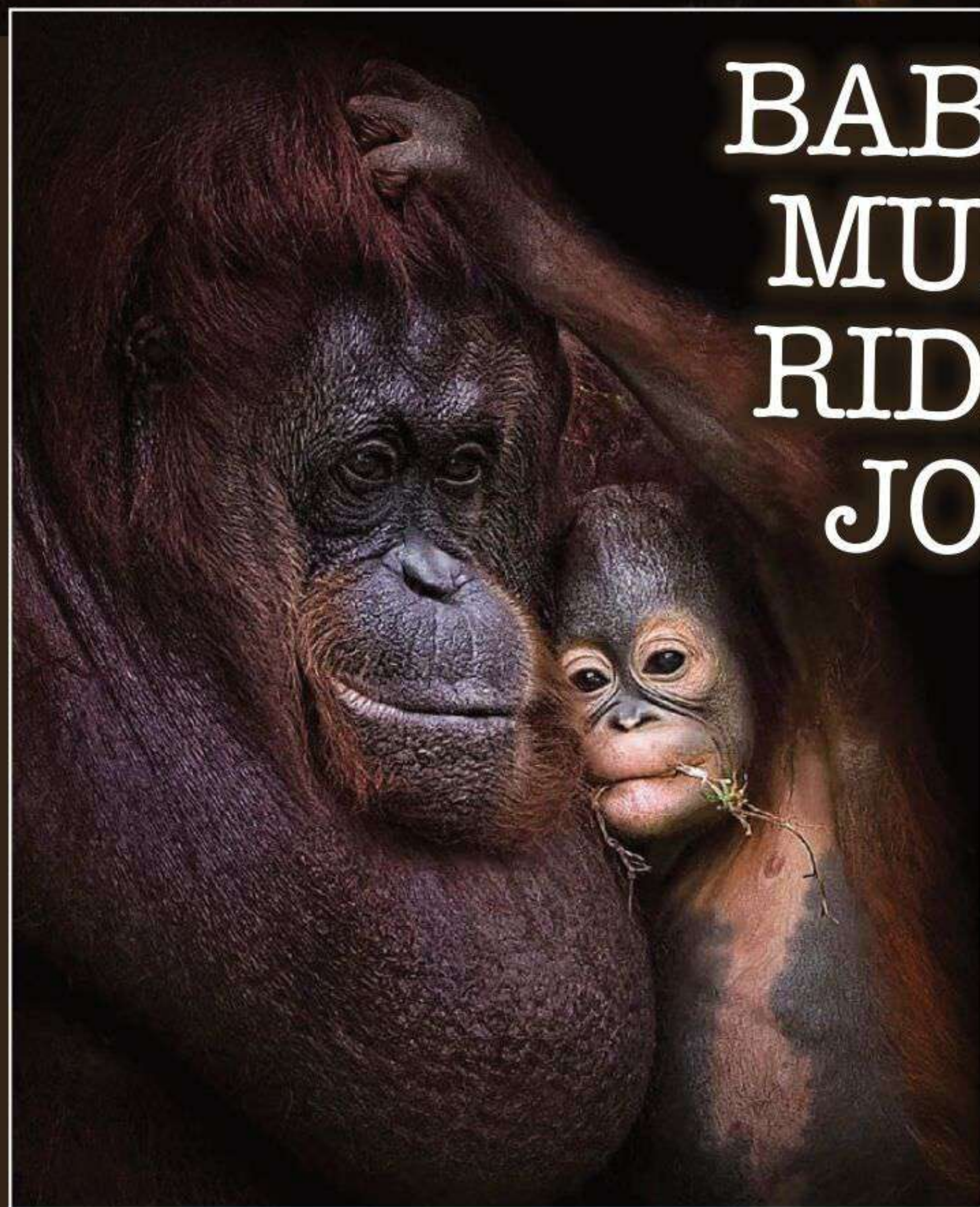
## Porsche campers

PORSCHE owners can go camping on top of their motors now the firm has launched its first ever tent.

Costing £4,320, the tent attaches to the top of a Porsche 911 like a roof box.

A spokesman for the car-maker said: "This equipment transforms the sports car into a hotel room."

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## BABY IS MUM'S RIDE & JOY..

★ A BABY orangutan steals a ride on its mum's back, while clinging to her hair.

These private primate moments were captured by Endra Agustianto at Ragunan Zoo in Jakarta, Indonesia.

★ Endra said: "I was five to 10 metres away. The orangutans were playing and sunbathing. 'Let's protect orangutans from extinction.'"

# PICK A DOG TO MATCH YOUR HANDS



HOUND ADVICE: Lefty dogs like lefty owners

## Bond better when on the same side

LEFT-handed people should have left-pawed dogs for a better relationship, say scientists.

Our canine chums can be right or left-pawed but change to follow their owner's lead.

Kimberley Charlton, of Lincoln University, said: "The characteristics that come with being left or right-handed/pawed may benefit dogs and their owners by functioning the same way."

"Dogs with left-handed owners were significantly more likely to have a left-paw bias. This was the same for right-handed owners."

Boffins tested 62 dogs by asking for a paw and seeing which was offered most.

They then put something out of reach and watched which paw was

used to fetch it. They said: "Owner handedness should be considered when pairing dogs to owners, especially in assistance work."

The team also said that right-handed owners and dogs could perform better at agility tests.

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## Socials addicts

TEENAGERS from deprived backgrounds are more likely to get addicted to social media such as Facebook, Instagram and WhatsApp, a study claims.

The situation is even worse in schools where wealth and social differences exist between classmates.

Dr Michela Lenzi, of the University of Padua in Italy, said: "These findings indicate the potentially harmful influences of inequality at the individual level."



# BLADE RUNNER IS MAKING A TV RETURN BUT WHAT



CLASSIC sci-fi film Blade Runner is getting a TV spin-off with the original film's director Ridley Scott set to produce the Amazon Prime series.

Widely hailed as one of the best flicks of all time, the 80s classic set in 1919 with synthetic humans known as replicants will now be looking into a futuristic 2099.

Here, **KIM CARR** looks at where the cast of the original movie are now...

## SEAN YOUNG (Rachael)



SHE went on to star in sci-fi flick Dune, Wall Street and Ace Ventura: Pet Detective. But the star's career took a tumble after a horse-riding accident meant she had to pull out of playing Vicki Vale in Tim Burton's Batman.

Young turned up at Catwoman auditions for Batman Returns in full costume and, after missing out to Michelle Pfeiffer, she hit out on US

telly. The actress's appearance impacted her reputation but she returned in Blade Runner 2049 in CGI form.

The 62-year-old married, divorced then re-wed actor and composer Robert Lujan.

But she was placed under citizen's arrest at the 2012 Oscars after-show where she tried to get in without a ticket and slapped a security guard.

## DARYL HANNAH (Pris)



SHE scooped the part over Debbie Harry from Blondie, who was Ridley's first pick, and scored huge hits next in Splash and Roxanne.

Hannah's love life has seen a relationship with John F Kennedy Jr and a marriage to Neil Young, while she spoke out about suffering sexual harassment from Harvey Weinstein, who she claimed stopped her finding work after she starred in Kill Bill.

In 2002 the now 61-year-old played Robbie Williams' love interest in his video for hit single Feel.

## JAMES HONG (Hannibal Chew)

HIS hits also included Big Trouble In Little China, Wayne's World and voicing characters in animations Mulan and Jackie Chan Adventures.

In May this year, the 93-year-old received a star on the Hollywood Walk of Fame.

Hong has been married twice, and now lives with second wife Susan Tong, mother of his daughter April.



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# WHAT HAPPENED TO THE CLASSIC 80S MOVIE CAST...

# WE ARE DID STARS RUN TO NEXT?



**JOANNA CASSIDY (Zhora)**

SHE played Dolores in Who Framed Roger Rabbit and enjoyed success in Don't Tell Mom The Babysitter's Dead before an award-winning turn in Six Feet Under as Margaret Chenoweth. She also appeared in Desperate Housewives and Law & Order: UK. The 78-year-old has been married once, to Dr Kennard Kobrin.



**RUTGER HAUSER (Roy Batty)**



HE wore hot-pink satin trousers and huge green sunglasses for his Blade Runner audition and later branded it his favourite film he's starred in.

He then starred in Batman Begins, Sin City and Buffy The Vampire Slayer. Married twice, Hauer died in 2019 aged 75 from an undisclosed illness.

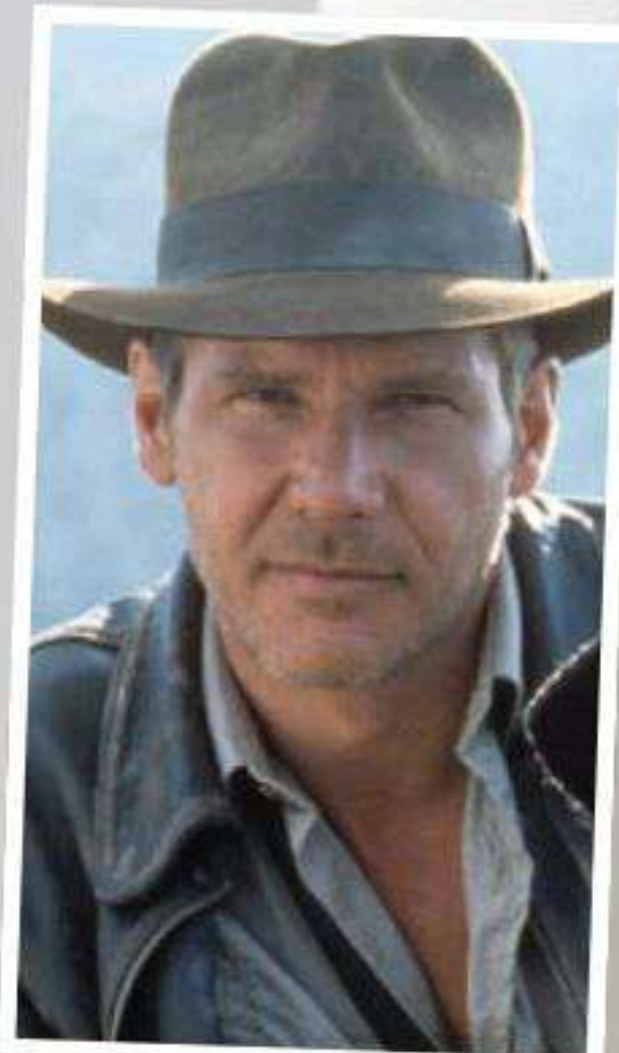
**HARRISON FORD (Rick Deckard)**

HE took on the role first offered to Dustin Hoffman, who turned it down for being "too macho".

Ford called it his most difficult film experience but it boosted him to leading man status with Patriot Games, The Fugitive and Air Force One among his many follow-on blockbusters – as well as the Star Wars prequels and Indiana Jones sequels.

He has been in a number of aircraft accidents and near misses, and is married to Ally McBeal star Calista Flockhart.

Next year the 80-year-old pulls on a fedora again to reprise his role as Indiana Jones.



**EDWARD JAMES OLMOS (Gaff)**



THE actor moved on to acclaimed roles in Stand and Deliver, Selena, Battlestar Galactica and Dexter, plus returned for Blade Runner 2049. The star, 75, also scooped a Golden Globe and Emmy for Miami Vice.

**M EMMET WALSH (Bryant)**



HE found his next role in the Coen brothers' first film Blood Simple, joined Will Smith in Wild Wild West and starred in The Iron Giant. Guest turns in shows including Home Improvement took the actor, now 87, to the small screen.



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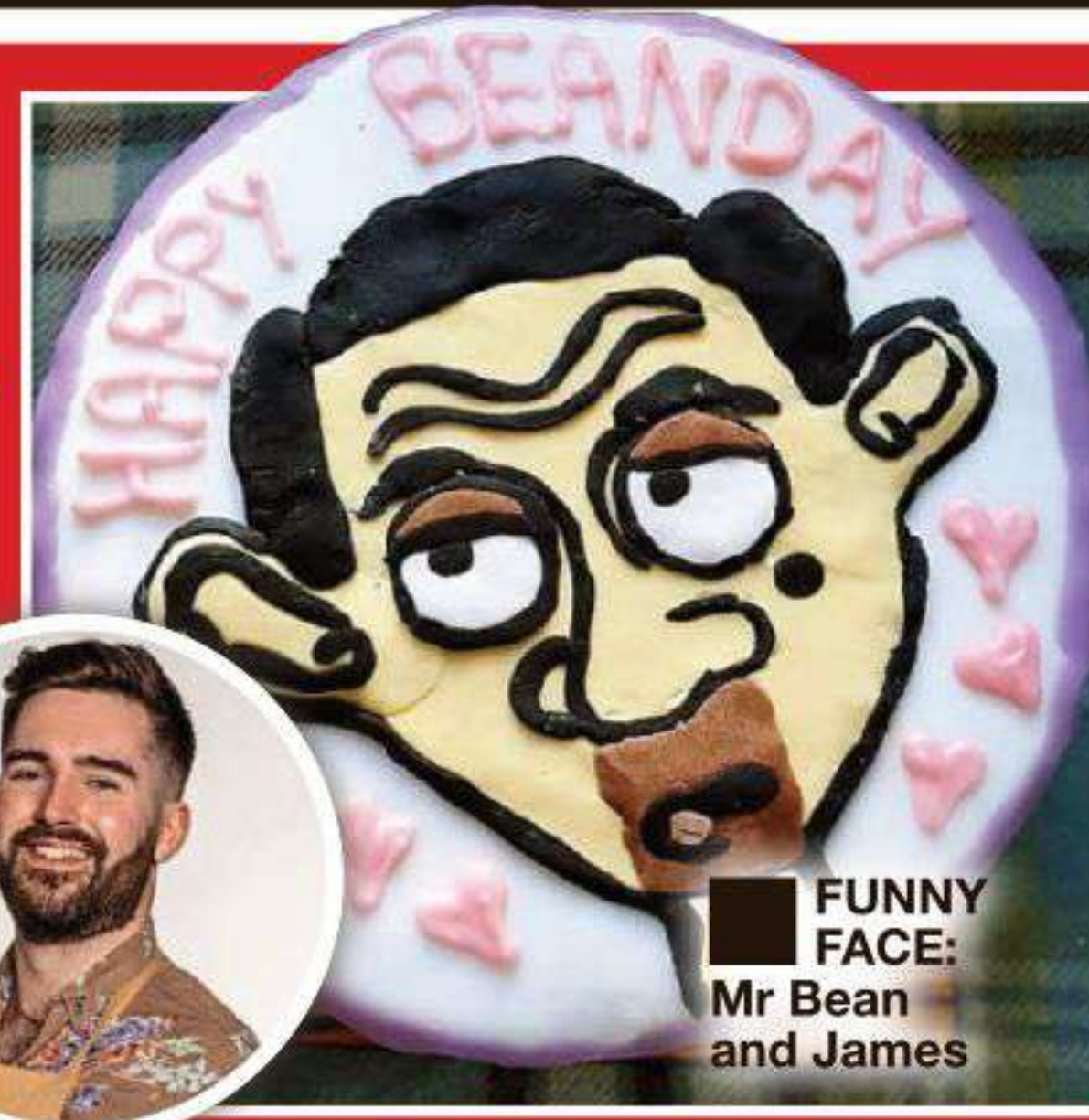
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WOOLLY  
JUMPER:  
Cake and  
Syabira

THESE purr-fect cat cakes look like something you'd buy from a high street patisserie or an online bakery. But the fantastic felines, left, are in fact among the creations by the latest batch of amateurs taking part in the new series of **The Great British Bake Off**. The puss with the ball of wool was made by Syabira and the regal mog is by Carole. Amazing bakes by other contestants include a unicorn by Maxy, a Mr Bean cake from James and a piña colada by Janusz. Bake Off is on tomorrow at 8pm on Channel 4.

CROWN  
JEWEL:  
Royal bake  
and CaroleHORN  
PIPE:  
Unicorn  
and MaxyFUNNY  
FACE:  
Mr Bean  
and JamesDRINK  
TRAY:  
Piña colada  
and JanuszMasterful  
costumes

**DOCTOR Who** star Sacha Dhawan raids the show's dressing-up box in the BBC centenary special next month - and dons some rather familiar outfits.

The actor, who plays the Master, is known for his disguises in his battles with the Time Lord.

And for all those Whovians who love a bit of cosplay, it seems we are going to be treated to him sporting some of the Doc's old wardrobe.

So look out for Tom Baker's famous long multi-coloured scarf, Peter Davison's cricket jumper, Jon Pertwee's velvet cape and even Matt Smith's fez.

Sacha said about his disguises: "I said, 'As long as there's some range in there,' and [show boss] Chris Chibnall has certainly delivered."

The special will see Jodie Whittaker bow out as the 13th Doctor.

Fans: Expect a new  
spectre on Ghosts!

## JOINING GANG...

OUR favourite TV Ghosts are getting a new spook to play with when they return this week.

Fans have been used to seeing the gang of nine spirits who have been stuck with each other in Button House for the past three series.

But in the fourth season starting on Friday night, a new mystery spectre will be arriving.

His appearance causes a rumpus among the group as they all fight to be his new best friend.

The jostling amuses their human pal Alison Cooper, played by Charlotte Ritchie. She said: "We

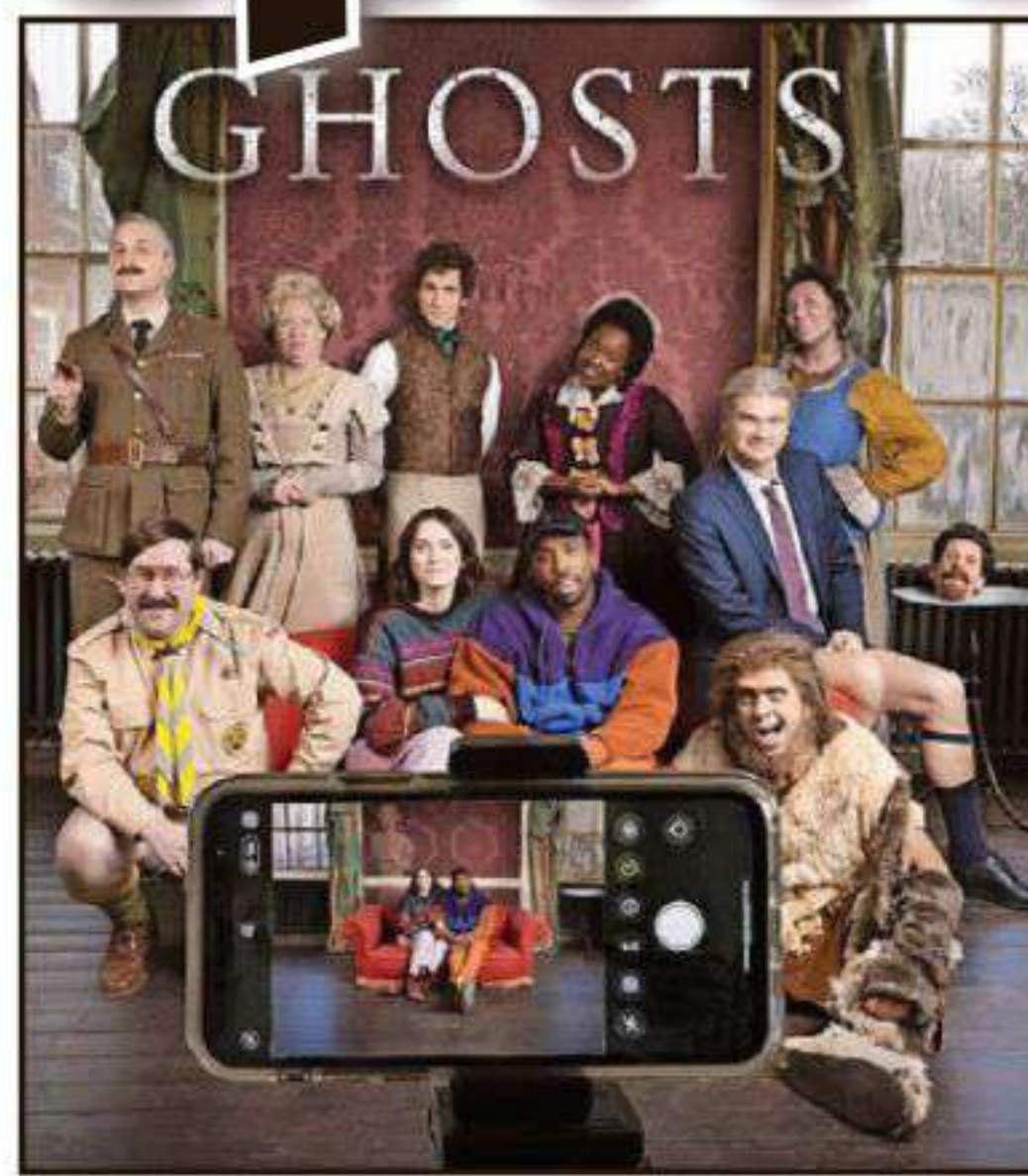
meet a new ghost in a neighbouring field. The main ghosts hadn't noticed him before so they're jostling to speak with him after hundreds of years of living with the same people."

The sitcom has become a jewel in the BBC's crown and one of the keys to its success is that it is a good old-fashioned family show.

Laurence Rickard, who plays caveman Robin, said: "Over the years, comedy got a bit ghetto-ised."

"It was a thing for grown-ups and then there were kids' shows, and ne'er the twain shall meet."

"We were keen as possible to blur that line."



DEAD HEAT: Cast of popular BBC sitcom

KEELEY Hawes thought she'd landed on another planet while filming BBC drama **Crossfire**.

There was a TV company from Germany shooting a series in the same location, but theirs was set on Mars.

Keeley said: "There would be aliens walking the hotel while we were shooting."



<div>Turn back a page for today's HOT TV news</div> <div>All programmes are listed in British Summer Time (BST).</div> <div>film ratings</div> <div>★★★★★ Brilliant</div> <div>★★★★ Very Good</div> <div>★★★ Good</div> <div>★★ Average</div> <div>★ Bad</div> <div>(R) Repeat</div>	BBC One	BBC Two	ITV	Channel 4	Channel 5
	<b>6.00am Breakfast</b> A round-up of national and international news, plus current affairs, arts and entertainment, and weather.	<b>6.30am Money for Nothing</b> From High Wycombe. (R)	<b>6.00am Good Morning Britain</b> News, current affairs and lifestyle features.	<b>6.10am The World's Most Beautiful Landscapes: The Causeway Coast</b> (R)	<b>6.00am Milkshake!</b>
	<b>8.00 The State Funeral of HM Queen Elizabeth II</b> Coverage from Westminster Abbey and St George's Chapel in Windsor Castle, as Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II is laid to rest. Huw Edwards and Fergal Keane will be covering events from London, Kirsty Young and David Dimbleby will be in Windsor, Sophie Raworth will be at Parliament Square, Anita Rani at the Long Walk at Windsor and JJ Chalmers at Wellington Barracks.	<b>7.15 Antiques Road Trip</b> Raj Bisram and Irita Marriott embrace their inner pirate. (R)	<b>9.30 Queen Elizabeth II: The State Funeral</b> Tom Bradby and Julie Etchingham present coverage from Westminster Abbey and St George's Chapel in Windsor Castle, as Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II is laid to rest. The programme includes the funeral service at Westminster Abbey, the mile-long military procession escorting The Queen through London, The Queen's final journey to Windsor and the committal service at St George's Chapel. Tom and Julie are joined by a number of special guests and royal experts for their reflections and analysis of this historic moment. Mary Nightingale leads coverage from Westminster Abbey, while ITV Royal Editor Chris Ship is in London and Windsor. Rageh Omaar is with the armed forces at Wellington Barracks, and Charlene White speaks with mourners in London.	<b>6.55 Britain's Most Beautiful Landscapes: The Highlands</b> Exploring the Scottish Highlands. (R)	<b>11.10 <span>FILM</span> The Emoji Movie</b> (2017, U) A multi-expressional emoji attempts to find a hacker. Animated adventure, voiced by TJ Miller. ★★
	<b>5.00pm BBC News</b> The latest headlines, in-depth interviews and political analysis.	<b>8.00 Sign Zone: The State Funeral of HM Queen Elizabeth II</b> Coverage from Westminster Abbey and St George's Chapel in Windsor Castle, as Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II is laid to rest. Huw Edwards and Fergal Keane will be covering events from London, Kirsty Young and David Dimbleby will be in Windsor, Sophie Raworth will be at Parliament Square, Anita Rani at the Long Walk at Windsor and JJ Chalmers at Wellington Barracks.		<b>7.45 Britain's Most Beautiful Landscapes: The Lake District</b> The national park. (R)	<b>12.25pm <span>FILM</span> Stuart Little</b> (1999, U) A family adopts a mouse, but their pet cat hatches a plot to get rid of him. Comedy adventure, starring Geena Davis, with the voice of Michael J Fox. ★★★★★
	<b>5.50 Regional News; Weather</b> The latest local news, sport and weather reports.	<b>5.05pm Flog It!</b> From Barrow Hill Railway Heritage Centre in Derbyshire. (R)		<b>8.30 Britain's Most Beautiful Landscapes: Snowdonia</b> (R)	<b>1.50 <span>FILM</span> Ice Age 3: Dawn of the Dinosaurs</b> (2009, U) Sid the sloth's friends search for him when he is taken to an underground world inhabited by dinosaurs. Animated sequel, featuring the voice of John Leguizamo. ★★
	<b>6.15 The One Show: Our Queen Remembered</b> Tributes to and stories of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II, on the day of her state funeral.	<b>6.00 Richard Osman's House of Games</b> With Charlie Baker, Val McDermid, Martin Offiah and Rebecca Lucy Taylor.		<b>9.20 Secrets of the Royal Gardens</b> Double bill. (R)	<b>3.20 <span>FILM</span> Sing</b> (2016, U) A hustling koala's attempts to save his theatre with a singing competition. Animation, with the voice of Matthew McConaughey. ★★★★★
		<b>6.30 Unbeatable</b> General knowledge quiz, hosted by Jason Manford.		<b>10.55 Her Majesty the Queen</b> (R)	<b>5.00 5 News at 5</b> Headlines.
				<b>11.55 HM The Queen: Two Minutes' Silence</b>	<b>6.15 Traffic Cops</b> The road crime team leads a county lines drugs crackdown. (R)
				<b>12.00noon A Queen is Crowned</b> Laurence Olivier narrates. (R)	
				<b>1.20 Channel 4 News Summary</b>	



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7	6.50 <b>FILM Paddington 2</b> (2017, PG) The lovable little bear has settled into his new life with the Brown family in London, becoming a much-loved member of the local community - until his search for a birthday present for his aunt leads to him being framed as a thief. While the Browns try to clear Paddington's name, he tries to make himself at home in prison, winning over the other convicts and getting involved in an escape attempt. Comedy adventure, starring Hugh Bonneville, Hugh Grant and Sally Hawkins, with Ben Whishaw providing the voice of Paddington. ★★★★★	7.00 <b>NEW Mastermind</b> Clive Myrie returns with the quiz, asking questions on Francisco de Goya, Peaky Blinders and the Philip Marlowe novels.	6.00pm <b>Regional News; Weather</b> Headlines affecting the local area.	7.00 <b>Channel 4 News</b> A round-up of the latest headlines, in-depth interviews and analysis of political developments and current affairs. Plus, the day's leading sports stories and up-to-the-minute weather reports.	7.00 <b>Police Interceptors</b> Following an operation to stop a van suspected of carrying cocaine, while Dan activates stealth mode as he tracks down a thief fresh from the scene of a house burglary (R); 5 News Update
	8.30 <b>The State Funeral of HM Queen Elizabeth II: Events of the Day</b> A look back at the day's events as Queen Elizabeth II was laid to rest..	7.30 <b>Only Connect</b> Victoria Coren Mitchell hosts another first-round match.	6.30 <b>ITV Evening News; Weather</b> A round-up of the headlines, on the day of Queen Elizabeth II's state funeral.	8.00 <b>Food Unwrapped</b> How peas could solve the plastic pollution problem.	8.00 <b>Motorway Cops: Catching Britain's Speeders</b> Anton Sullivan is baffled by the behaviour of a motorist, while David Reed races to deliver life-saving equipment to a motorist with a suspected heart attack (R); 5 News
8		8.00 <b>University Challenge</b> Four students from Coventry University pit their wits against a team from Cardiff University.	7.30 <b>Queen Elizabeth II: A Nation Remembers</b> The events of the past 10 days, from the death of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II on Thursday 8th September to her state funeral today.	8.30 <b>Jamie's One-Pan Wonders</b> Jamie takes midweek meals up a notch, as he knocks out a flavour-packed gnocchi; a foolproof traybaked salmon.	9.00 <b>Police: Night Shift 999</b> Sgt Gladwin is caught off guard when a routine area search leaves him surrounded by an aggressive family, while a violent shoplifter is cornered in a supermarket. (R)
		8.30 <b>FILM The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society</b> (2018, 12) In London, 1946, author Juliet Ashton's career has taken off but she is not enjoying promoting her detective stories to eager audiences on a book tour. When she receives a letter from a Guernsey pig farmer inviting her to attend a meeting of his literary society, she eagerly accepts. Drama, starring Lily James, Tom Courtenay and Katherine Parkinson. ★★★★★	9.00 <b>Queen Elizabeth II: The Final Farewell</b> James Mates narrates a look back at the day's events, as Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II was laid to rest.	9.50 <b>First Dates</b> Double bill. Two divorcees go in search of a more successful match, and a woman who despairs of ever finding the right man finds her head turned by another man in the restaurant; former Monty Python star Carol Cleveland arrives in the restaurant in search of love, and is paired up with Keith. (R)	9.45 <b>Casualty 24/7: Every Second Counts</b> A new junior doctor treats a man with a suspected case of sepsis. (R)
9		10.00 <b>BBC News at Ten</b> A round up of the latest headlines, in-depth interviews and analysis of political developments and current affairs. Plus, the day's leading sports stories and up-to-the-minute weather reports.	10.00 <b>ITV News at Ten; Weather</b> Tom Bradby presents a round-up of the day's events, as the state funeral of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II took place.	11.30 <b>UEFA Nations League Magazine Show</b> Action from the opening four rounds of the competition.	10.30 <b>999: Critical Condition</b> The team treats a man who has sustained numerous traumatic injuries after being trapped upside down in his car following a crash. (R)
		10.30 <b>Martin Compston's Scottish Fling</b> The actor is given a taste of island life when his friend Phil MacHugh takes him on a journey to the Western Isles.	10.50 <b>Regional News; Weather</b> The day's local headlines.	11.55 <b>Walter Presents: Sisterhood</b> Icelandic crime drama. Skeletal remains are found in a gravel mine.	11.15 <b>FILM Wild Card</b> (2015, 15) A Las Vegas bodyguard with a gambling problem finds himself on the wrong side of a mob boss. Action thriller, starring Jason Statham, Michael Angarano and Milo Ventimiglia. ★★
10		11.00 <b>All That Glitters: Britain's Next Jewellery Star</b> The jewellers have to make a best-selling brooch inspired by Birmingham's rich culture and heritage, plus a totally bespoke ear cuff for Elliot to wear to an LGBTQ+ event. (R)	11.00 <b>Queen Elizabeth II: The Final Farewell</b> James Mates narrates a look back at the day's events, as Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II was laid to rest.	12.45am <b>999: On the Front Line</b> (R)	1.00am <b>LIVE NFL: Monday Night Football.</b> Philadelphia Eagles v Minnesota Vikings (kick-off 1.30am). Coverage of the week two fixture.
		12.00m't <b>Sign Zone: Celebrity MasterChef.</b> The finalists cater for afternoon at Alexandra Palace. (R)	12.00m't-6.00am <b>The Queen Remembered.</b> A look back at the life of Queen Elizabeth II	1.35 <b>My Grandparents' War: Kit Harington</b> (R) 2.25 <b>FILM Pebbles</b> (2021, 15) Premiere. ★★★★★ 3.35 <b>Grand Designs: The Streets</b> (R) 4.25 <b>Couples Come Dine with Me</b> (R) 5.15 <b>Find It, Fix It, Flog It</b> (R) 5.20-6.10am <b>Location, Location, Location</b> (R)	4.30 <b>Entertainment News on 5</b> 4.40 <b>Wildlife SOS.</b> Double bill. (R) 5.30 <b>Peppa Pig</b> (R) 5.35 <b>Paw Patrol</b> (R) 5.50-6.00am <b>Fireman Sam</b> (R)
11		11.00 <b>Regional News; Weather</b>			
		11.25 <b>Ellie &amp; Natasia</b> Double bill. The Brothers Pomodoro return to show off their new cookbook; the Internet Nails gang hand out special awards. Last in series. (R)			
		11.55 <b>The Hit List Celebrity Special</b> A Strictly special of the music-based quiz. (R)			
12		12.40am <b>Weather for the Week Ahead</b>			
		12.45-6.00am <b>BBC News</b>			
*All schedules correct at the time of print					



## ITV2

Freeview 6

**6.00am** Good Morning Britain **9.30** Queen Elizabeth II: The State Funeral. Coverage from Westminster Abbey and St George's Chapel in Windsor Castle, as Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II is laid to rest.

**6.00pm Local News**

**6.30 ITV Evening News**

**7.30 Queen Elizabeth II: A Nation**

**Remembers** The events of the past 10 days, from the death of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II on Thursday 8th September to her state funeral today.

**9.00 Queen Elizabeth II: The Final**

**Farwell** James Mates narrates a look back at the day's events, as Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II was laid to rest.

**10.00 ITV News at Ten**

**11.00 Queen Elizabeth II: The Final**

**Farwell** James Mates narrates a look back at the day's events, as Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II was laid to rest.

**12.00m-6.00am** The Queen Remembered. A retrospective.

## Dave

Freeview 19

**6.20am** Driving Wars **7.10** Yianni: Supercar Customiser **8.00** Border Force: America's Gatekeepers **9.00** Storage Hunters UK **10.00** Sin City Motors **11.00** Expedition with Steve Backshall **12.00noon** Bangers and Cash **1.00** Border Force: America's Gatekeepers **2.00** Top Gear USA Special **3.00** Rick Stein: From Venice to Istanbul **4.00** Top Gear **5.00** Rick Stein: From Venice to Istanbul

**6.00 Taskmaster** Lou Sanders displays some very unusual facial hair.

**7.00 Richard Osman's House of Games** With Angellica Bell and Gyles Brandreth.

**7.40 Room 101** With Jack Dee.

**8.20 Would I Lie to You?** Panel show.

**9.00 QI XL** With Phill Jupitus.

**10.00 Question Team** With Jonathan Ross.

**11.00 Would I Lie to You?** Panel show.

**11.40 Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You** David Tennant hosts.

**12.40am** QI **1.20** QI XL **2.30** Room 101 **4.00-6.00am** Teleshopping

## E4

Freeview 13

**6.00am** Hollyoaks **7.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **8.00** Black-ish **9.00** How I Met Your Mother **10.00** The Big Bang Theory **11.00** Young Sheldon **11.55** HM The Queen: Two Minutes' Silence **12.00noon** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **1.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** Young Sheldon **4.00** Teen First Dates **5.00** The Big Bang Theory: four episodes

**7.00 Hollyoaks** Victor has a sinister plan.

**7.30 The Big Bang Theory** Comedy.

**8.00 Below Deck: Mediterranean**

**9.00 Married at First Sight UK**

The final two couples in the experiment set off on their honeymoons.

**10.00 Celeb Cooking School** A celebrity makes hot dog flavour dumplings.

**11.05 Gogglebox** TV opinions.

**12.10am** First Dates Hotel. Dating series.

**1.15** Married at First Sight UK **2.20** Celeb Cooking School **3.10** Below Deck **4.05** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **4.55-6.00am** Brooklyn Nine-Nine

## Variations &amp; S4C

**WALES** As BBC1 except: **5.50-6.15pm** BBC Wales Today; Weather **11.00** BBC Wales Today; Weather **11.25** TBA **11.55** Ellie & Natasia. Double bill. The Brothers Pomodoro return to show off their cookbook; the Internet Nails gang hand out special awards. **12.25am** RuPaul's Drag Race UK **12.50-6.00am** BBC News

**MERIDIAN** As ITV except: **6.00-6.30pm** ITV News Meridian. The day's headlines; Weather **10.50-11.00pm** ITV News Meridian

**CENTRAL** As ITV except: **6.00-6.30pm** ITV News Central. The day's headlines; Weather **10.50-11.00pm** ITV News Central

**ITV WALES** As ITV except: **6.00-6.30pm** ITV News Wales at Six. Headlines; Weather **10.50-11.00pm** ITV News Cymru Wales

**WEST/ WESTCOUNTRY** As ITV except: **6.00-6.30pm** ITV News West Country **10.50-11.00pm** ITV News West Country

**ANGLIA** As ITV except: **6.00-6.30pm** ITV News Anglia **10.50-11.00pm** ITV News Anglia

**S4C** **6.00am** Cyw **10.30** Newyddion S4C: Angladd y Frenhines **1.30pm** Glannau Cymru o'r Awyr **1.55** Glannau Cymru o'r Awyr **2.25**

## Andy Lea's telly movies

**WORLD WAR Z** ★★★★★ (2013)

**Film4, 9pm** Brad Pitt's investigator heads off on a worldwide mission after a virus unleashes hordes of the undead. The plot is a bit ramshackle but the set-pieces are spectacular. We get zombies on a plane, a zombie siege in Jerusalem and zombies creeping around the corridors of a Cardiff laboratory. Mireille Enos also stars.

**MAZE RUNNER: THE SCORCH TRIALS** ★★★ (2015), **Film4, 11.15pm**

After escaping from the isolated community at the centre of a mysterious labyrinth the children find themselves in a desolate wasteland. Soon they set about seeking the truth about the organisation that imprisoned them. Dylan O'Brien and Kaya Scodelario star in Wes Ball's take on James Dashner's dystopian sci-fi novel.

## Drama

Freeview 20

**6.00am** Teleshopping **7.30** Monarch of the Glen **8.25** The Bill **9.25** Classic Holby City **10.45** Casualty **11.45** The Bill **12.45pm** Classic EastEnders **2.20** Monarch of the Glen **3.20** A Place to Call Home **4.20** All Creatures Great and Small **5.20** Waiting for God. Diana and Tom go to Brighton.

**6.00 Are You Being Served?** The store undergoes an image change.

**6.40 'Allo 'Allo!** A British agent arrives.

**7.20 Last of the Summer Wine**

Compo finds he has a love rival.

**8.00 Miss Marple** The sleuth visits the country house of an old friend's sister, where a heated argument in a locked room culminates in a man being killed.

**10.25 New Tricks** Danny investigates the death of a modern-day Miss Marple.

**11.50 Spooks** Adam and Zaf Zaf track down an elite team of terrorists.

**1.05am** Bad Girls. Prison drama. **2.20**

The Heart Guy **3.10** Waiting for God **4.00-6.00am** Teleshopping

## More4

Freeview 18

**8.55am** Kirstie's Vintage Gems **9.15** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **11.05** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **11.55** HM The Queen: Two Minutes' Silence **12.00noon** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **1.05** Heir Hunters **2.10** Four in a Bed: five episodes **4.50** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **5.55** Car S.O.S

**6.55 Escape to the Chateau**

**7.55 Wondrous Wales** A freediver and wildlife photographer studies puffins on the Pembrokeshire coast.

**9.00 Devon and Cornwall** The head gardener at Cornwall's Lost Gardens of Heligan sows a crop of meadow flowers.

**10.00 Homes from Hell: Caught on Camera** Real-life footage reveals some of the dangers lurking inside homes.

**11.05 24 Hours in A&E** The stories of patients who are facing adversity.

**12.10am** Shocking Emergency Calls **1.00**

Homes from Hell: Caught on Camera

**1.55 24 Hours in A&E** **2.45-3.50am**

Food Unwrapped: China Special

## HotTV CHOICE With Mike Ward



Obviously these have been tricky times for TV schedulers, having to decide which of their regular programmes it's OK to

carry on with and which it would be more respectful to suspend for the time being. Especially on a day such as today. But few viewers, I'm sure, are likely to take exception to the fact that traditional favourites such as **MASTERMIND** (7pm, BBC Two) and **UNIVERSITY CHALLENGE** (8pm, BBC Two)

have stayed put. There's something reassuring and comforting about a quiz.

The Mastermind episode is actually the first in the new series, and the second with Clive Myrie asking the questions.

It also happens to be the show's 50th anniversary. Is there any series on British television, I wonder, that's undergone so few changes in the course of a half a century? A specialist round, then a general knowledge round — it's been that way since forever, hasn't it? The only difference being that the general knowledge questions

these days tend to be along the lines of: "What is the capital of England?" or "Roughly how many members were there in the original line-up of the Fun Boy Three?"

The specialist subjects tonight are the geography of Francisco de Goya, the Philip Marlowe novels of Raymond Chandler, the BBC drama Peaky Blinders and Team GB at the 2020 Summer Olympics. Although a preview episode wasn't available for me to watch, I'm guessing Jessica Ennis-Hill will crop up as an answer at least once.

Yep, Jess was Peaky Blinders' absolute star, no question.

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Sport

SKY SPORTS MAIN EVENT

6.00am Sky Sports News

9.00 The Funeral of Queen Elizabeth II

5.00pm Sky Sports News

12.00m't **LIVE** NFL Buffalo Bills v Tennessee Titans (kick-off 12.15am).

3.30 **LIVE** NFL Philadelphia Eagles v Minnesota Vikings (kick-off 1.30am). From Highmark Stadium.

4.30-6.00am Sky Sports News

SKY SPORTS CRICKET

6.00am How the 2014 ICC World T20 Was Won

8.00 Women's One-Day International Cricket

9.00 Royal London One-Day Cup Cricket

10.00 Captain's Log. With Alec Stewart.

10.30 The Funeral of Queen Elizabeth II

1.30pm Captain's Log 2.00 Test Cricket 8.00 Captain's Log 8.30 Women's One-Day International Cricket 9.30 Royal London One-Day Cup Cricket 10.30 Women's One-Day International Cricket 11.30 Shaun Pollock: Bowling Masterclass

12.00m't How the 2015 ICC World Cup Was Won 2.00 How the 2016 ICC World T20 Was Won 4.00 Captain's Log 5.00-6.00am Best of ICC WT20

SKY SPORTS FOOTBALL

6.00am EFL 9.00 Scottish Premiership Round-Up

9.15 SPFL Highlights 9.30 EFL Greatest Games

10.00 EFL Highlights 10.15 My Icon

10.30 The Funeral of Queen Elizabeth II

1.30pm My Icon 1.45 Scottish Premiership Round-Up 2.00 EFL Highlights 3.00 EFL Goals 3.30 EFL Highlights 4.30 EFL Goals 5.00 EFL Greatest Games 5.30 SPFL Greatest Games 5.45 SPFL Highlights

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10.00 Scottish Premiership Round-Up 10.15 SPFL Highlights 10.30 Mls Round Up Show

11.00 Bundesliga Highlights Show

12.00m't EFL Cup Highlights 1.00 EFL 4.30-6.00am EFL Rivalries

BT SPORT 1

6.00am ESPN FC 6.30 UEFA Champions League Goals Reload 6.45 UEFA Europa League Goals Reload 7.00 WWE NXT Highlights 8.00 Premier League Review 9.00 WSL Championship Tour 10.00 Premier League 11.30 Premier League Stories. An interview with Claudio Ranieri.

12.00noon Vanarama National League 1.30 Vanarama National League Highlights 2.00 Premier League Review 3.00 Ligue 1 Highlights 4.00 UEFA Champions League Review 5.00 ESPN FC 5.30 ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls

6.00 **LIVE** MLB Cleveland Guardians v Minnesota Twins at Progressive Field (start time 6.10pm).

9.30 Currie Club 10.00 BT Sport Goals Reload 10.30 ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls 11.00 WWE Raw Highlights

12.00m't WWE SmackDown Highlights

1.00 **LIVE** WWE Monday Night Raw Wrestling.

4.15 BT Sport Goals Reload 4.30 Ligue 1 Highlights 5.30-6.00am Classic MOTD – Thrillers

BT SPORT 2

6.00am MotoGP 9.00 MotoGP Chequered Flag

9.30 Fishing: On the Bank 10.30 Badminton Unlimited 11.00 Hero CPL Highlights 1.00pm The Outdoor Sports Show 1.30 AFL 3.30 UEFA Champions League Goals Reload 3.45 UEFA Europa League Goals Reload 4.00 WSL Championship Tour 5.00 MLB Quick Pitch

6.00 Premier League Review 7.00 Joe Cole Cast 7.30 Primeira Liga 8.30 UEFA Champions League Magazine

9.00 **LIVE** MLB LA Angels v Seattle Mariners.

12.30am Vanarama National League 2.00 WSL Presents 3.00 Hero CPL Highlights 5.00-6.00am The Ocho

EUROSPORT 1

6.30am Cycling: Road World Championships 8.00 Cycling: Ras na mBan 8.20 Roland-Garros 9.30 British Speedway 10.15 Hall of Fame – Tokyo 2020 11.00 Cycling: Road World Championships 11.45 Cycling: Paris-Roubaix

12.00noon Triathlon: Super League 1.45 Cycling: Paris-Roubaix 2.00 Cycling: Road World Championships 2.45 Motocross World Championship 3.05 FIA World Endurance Championship 3.50 Triathlon PTO Tour – Canadian Open 4.45 72: A Gathering of Champions 6.30 Cycling: Ras na mBan

7.00 Cycling: Tour of Flanders 7.15 Cycling: Road World Championships 9.35 Roland-Garros 10.50 Roland-Garros 11.35 Cycling: Road World Championships

12.20am **LIVE** Cycling: Road World Championships Junior women's individual time trial.

2.30 Cycling: Road World Championships

4.10-8.20am **LIVE** Cycling: Road World Championships Junior men's individual time trial.

BEST OF THE REST – LIVE SPORT

12.00m't-3.30am **LIVE** NFL Buffalo Bills v Tennessee Titans (Sky Sports Arena)

1.00-4.30am **LIVE** NFL: Philadelphia Eagles v Minnesota Vikings. (Sky Sports NFL)

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Entertainment & Factual

BBC THREE Freeview 23

7.00pm Top Gear 8.00 Dubai Hustle. Lucas pulls out all the stops to impress a property investor. 8.30 Nail Bar Boys 9.00 Bad Education 10.00 Ladhoo 10.25 Cuckoo 11.15 Dubai Hustle 11.45 Nail Bar Boys 12.15am Bad Education 1.15 Ladhoo 1.40 Cuckoo 2.30 The Rap Game UK 3.30-4.00am Eating with My Ex

BBC FOUR Freeview 9

7.00pm Great American Railroad Journeys. 8.00 Art of Persia 9.00 The Search for a New Earth 10.30 Clydebuilt: The Ships That Made the Commonwealth 11.30 Ian Hislop's Fake News: A True History 12.30am The Celts: Blood, Iron and Sacrifice with Alice Roberts and Neil Oliver 1.30 Great American Railroad Journeys 2.30-3.30am Art of Persia

5USA Freeview 21

9.00am NCIS 11.55 Entertainment News on 5 12.00noon Law & Order 2.55 Entertainment News on 5 3.00 Law & Order 6.00 NCIS 9.00 The Blacklist 10.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit 3.35-4.00am 999: Criminals Caught on Camera

ITV3 Freeview 10

6.00am Good Morning Britain. Special programme ahead of the funeral of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. 9.30 Queen Elizabeth II: The State Funeral. Coverage as Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II is laid to rest. 6.00pm Local News 6.30 ITV Evening News 7.30 Queen Elizabeth II: A Nation Remembers 9.00 Queen Elizabeth II: The Final Farewell 10.00 ITV News at Ten 11.00 Queen Elizabeth II: The Final Farewell 12.00m't-6.00am The Queen Remembered

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REALLY Freeview 17

6.00am Fantasy Homes by the Sea 7.00 Cruise TV with LoveitBookit 8.00 Countryside 999 9.00 Posh Pawn 10.00 Antiques Road Trip 12.00noon Money for Nothing 1.00 The Hotel Inspector 2.00 Animal Cops Houston 4.00 Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet 5.00 Ambulance 6.00 Money for Nothing 7.00 Antiques Road Trip 9.00 Best in Miniature 10.00 The Repair Shop 11.00 Ghost Adventures 12.00m't Portals to Hell 1.00 Ghost Adventures 2.00 Teleshopping 4.00-6.00am Animal Cops Houston

SKY ARTS Freeview 11

6.00am A London Dream 7.00 Rachmaninov: Rhapsody/The Two Pigeons 9.00 The Funeral of Queen Elizabeth II 5.00pm Treasures of the British Library 6.00 Alfred Hitchcock Presents 7.00 Inside Art: Glyn Philpot at Pallant House 7.30 Andre Rieu: Welcome to My World 8.30 **FILM** The Lost Leonardo (2020) 10.25 Comedy Legends 11.25 The South Bank Show 1.00am Mystery of the Lost Paintings 2.00

BBC RADIO 1

97.6-99.8MHz 6.00am Radio 1 Relax 7.00 Radio 1 Early Breakfast with Arielle Free 10.00 Radio 1 Breakfast with Greg James 12.45pm Newsbeat 1.00 Dean and Vicky 3.30 Going Home with Vick and Jordan 5.45 Newsbeat 6.00 Clara Amfo 9.00 Radio 1's Power Down Playlist with Sian Eleri 10.00 Radio 1's Power Down Playlist with Sian Eleri 11.00 Radio 1's Wind Down Presents 12.00m't Radio 1's Wind Down Presents 1.00 Radio 1's Decompression Session 2.00 Radio 1's Classical Movie Mixtape 3.00 Radio 1's Chillout Anthems 4.00 Radio 1 Relax in Love 5.00-6.57am Radio 1 Early Breakfast with Arielle Free

BBC RADIO 2

88-91MHz 6.30am Radio 2 with Zoe Ball 9.30 Radio 2 with Gary Davies 10.45 Radio 2 with Jeremy Vine 11.00 The State Funeral of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II 11.55 Radio 2 with Jeremy Vine 2.00pm Radio 2 with Steve Wright 5.00 Radio 2 with Sara Cox 7.00 Radio 2 with Jo Whitley 9.00 Radio 2 with Trevor Nelson 12.00m't OJ Borg 2.30 One Hit Wonders with OJ Borg 3.00 Pick of the Pops 4.00-6.30am Early Breakfast Show

BBC RADIO 3

90.2-92.4MHz 6.30am Breakfast 9.00 Essential Classics 11.00 The State Funeral of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II 12.00noon Essential Classics 1.00 A Sequence of Music with Penny Gore 4.00 The Service of Committal of Her Majesty

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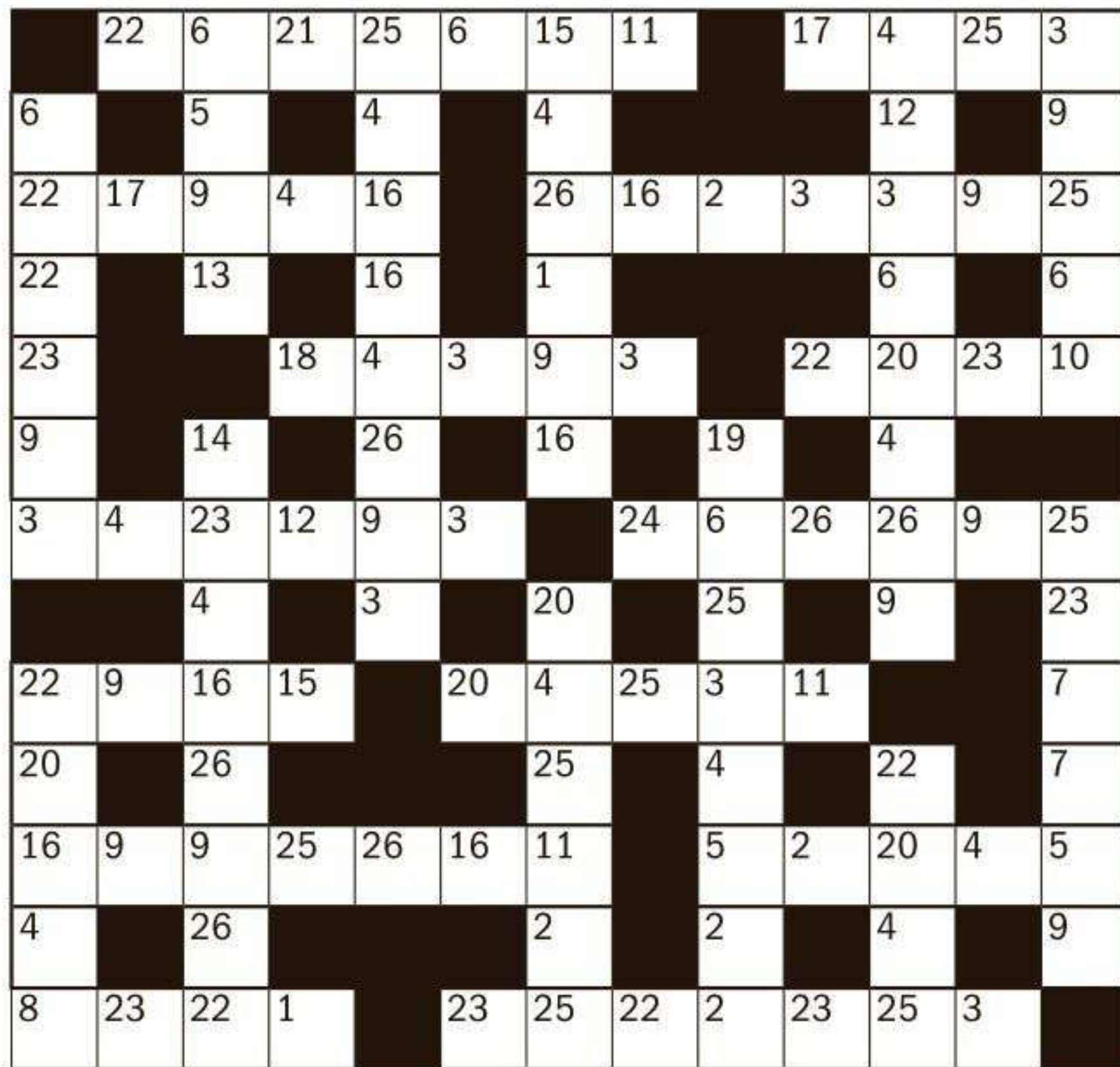
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**Across:** Forsake, Silt, Chine, Refusal, Sewer, Tray, Teapot, Hubbub, Grit, Dozen, Seismic, Union, Owed, Forever.

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Thanks	Defeats roundly	Liquid for drinking	Cure	Nearly all	Musicians	Christian holiday period
Spanish red wine			Runs away to wed			
Conflict	Fish eggs	Stomach, informally		City, 2005 neo-noir film		High regard
			Landed property			
Charged particle		Challenge	Container	Sea creature	Mythology	Grain store
			One who rides a bike			
Behalf	Goodbye! (2-2)			Perez, Do the Right Thing actress		
			Shock			
Snake	Arid			Broom of twigs		

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FILL the grid so that every column, row and 3x3 square includes all the digits from one to 9.

**LEVEL: Easy, 18 Mins**

### YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION

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## TWO-WAY TEASER

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**TWO sets of clues but the answers are the same...**

### CRYPTIC CLUES

#### ACROSS

- 1 Rather tame show, perhaps (8)
- 5 Being a scam, is obviously not on the level (4)
- 8 A bit fishy, this little girl? (4)
- 9 Cooperation needed to shift the worm that's in the wood (8)
- 10 Holding on tight for a time! (7)
- 12 Spanish or possibly Norse title (5)
- 13 It could be of the feathered variety (6)
- 15 Wild praise of the old country (6)
- 17 If you want to get the bird, don't put him off! (5)
- 18 Funny old sort of pie! (7)
- 22 We encounter writhing snakes with irresolution! (8)
- 23 Many a doctor wants an arm or a leg! (4)
- 24 Do they toss restlessly when

#### DOWN

- drunk? (4)
- 25 Just the bird to suit me for an anagram (8)
- 1 Seen to yearn for Edward (7)
- 2 Men accepting half a loaf as something to eat (5)
- 3 A covering or headgear for church (5)
- 4 Arty salver? (4)
- 6 Is overflowing, as when you jump in (7)
- 7 Fireside game? (5)
- 11 New information about the Royal Engineers (5)
- 12 Appears to look at a manuscript (5)
- 14 It pays one to be helpful (7)
- 16 Clear to the listener (7)

### SATURDAY'S PUB QUIZ ANSWERS:

1. B: Kintsugi; 2. C: What the Swedish Butler Saw; 3. B: Darwin Nunez; 4. C: Georgette Heyer; 5. C: Augustus; 6. B: Nipsey Hussle; 7. C: Sturgeon moon; 8. Trick question!!!! Marlon Brando was represented by Sacheen Littlefeather; 9. A: Eagle; 10. B: Kent Walton; 11. A: Cardiff; 12. C: Simon Bullivant; 13. A: What I Breathe; 14. A: 1978; 15. A: Going Fishing; 16. C: Surrey; 17. B: Siuuu!; 18. B: Hazel Adair and Peter Ling; 19. A: Happiness; 20. A: 13%.

- 17 The cries of hotheaded fliers (5)
- 19 Put out by a more elevated group (5)
- 20 Farewell to French? (5)
- 21 Beaten hollow! (4)

### QUICK CLUES

#### ACROSS

- 1 Rather (8)
- 5 Swindle (4)
- 8 Fish's breathing-organ (4)
- 9 A group effort (8)
- 10 Late this evening (7)
- 12 Spanish "Mr" (5)
- 13 Cleaning-cloth (6)
- 15 Old Iran (6)
- 17 Fishing bird (5)
- 18 Yellow sauce (7)
- 22 Flaw (8)

- 23 Branch (4)
- 24 Drunkards (4)
- 25 Small songbird (8)

#### DOWN

- 1 Espied (7)
- 2 Large fruit (5)
- 3 Incubate (5)
- 4 Salver (4)
- 6 Proliferates (7)
- 7 Gambling game (5)
- 11 Inexperienced (5)
- 12 Appears (5)
- 14 Employee (7)
- 16 Hearable (7)
- 17 Yells (5)
- 19 Annoyed (5)
- 20 Au revoir (5)
- 21 Impact damage (4)

### YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION:

**ACROSS:** 1 Sombre, 4 Coarse, 7 Pass, 8 Breather, 9 Unaware, 12 Ant, 14 Tailor, 15 Mayhem, 16 Rue, 18 Fighter, 22 Activist, 23 Kerb, 24 Bedlam, 25 Little.  
**DOWN:** 1 Supporter, 2 Masculine, 3 Elbow, 4 Clear, 5 Alto, 6 Sheen, 10 Aloof, 11 Exact, 12 Abhorrent, 13 Timetable, 17 Uncle, 19 Idiom, 20 Hotel, 21 Bill.

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**ANSWERS IN TOMORROW'S PAPER**



# JUST JANE



**JANE O'GORMAN SOLVES  
YOUR PROBLEMS TODAY  
... AND EVERY DAY**

## Hubby out for hours

MY husband has retired early. We've drastically downsized and he is happily spending our savings.

Each morning he goes to the gym – and doesn't come back for six hours. When I ask him where he's been he says: "Doing jobs" (i.e. going to the bank, seeing the dentist, etc).

He maintains he visits his mum, but I can't check because she has dementia and doesn't recognise me.

I suspect that what he's actually doing is sleeping with other women – again.

He's always been a rogue and we broke up briefly in 2012 when I discovered that he'd fathered a child with another woman.

I'm 43 and I've had enough of him treating me like a idiot.

**JANE SAYS:** Surely this is when you put your foot down, before your husband races through your savings and leaves your self-esteem in tatters?

You're still young. There is still time for you to follow your dreams and enjoy a better life.

Sadly, he hasn't proved himself worthy of you and is now being selfish.

Trust your instincts. If you suspect he's spending six hours a day in the arms of other women, you have to front him up.

# His difficult ex has something on him

## HE PAYS MONEY TO HER

**THERE** are three of us in our relationship: me, my partner and his tricky ex.

Despite being with me for over a year he's still giving her cash and propping her up. He's the first person she calls when she gets a bill or something needs fixing. He rushes round to soothe her like his backside is on fire.

I don't think they're still having sex – but I wouldn't be surprised if she's still demanding that too.

I need him to banish her from our lives and for us to be a couple, but he says it's complicated.

He says he can't simply walk because she's vindictive and unpredictable and has got too much on him.

When they were together, he messed with some unpleasant people and did stupid things.

I've told him I don't want to hear the details, but I get the impression that while he was drinking heavily and using drugs. He was a hot-headed fool.

Now he is sober and sensible after a scary brush with the law, but his ex continues to haunt us.

Of course, she's not stupid enough to use the word "black-mail" but that's what it amounts to. She won't go until we give her what she believes she is due.

Apparently, she protected him and lied for him when his enemies were circling. She believes



Picture posed by models

**DARK SECRETS:** His past mistakes could come back to haunt you if you are not careful

that if it weren't for her, he'd be history by now.

My guy begs me to trust him. He says if he can just give it time and placate her, we'll be free.

But will we? What's to stop her from coming back for more? He swears he loves me and that he's learnt his lesson after behaving like a muppet as a younger man.

**JANE SAYS:** This all sounds way too complicated and unpleasant for my liking.

Why don't you tell your man to go away, sort out his issues, and come back to you once he's solvent and free? We all make mistakes in life.

It sounds as if he was headstrong and reckless as a younger man. He played fast and loose with some "interesting" characters and his ex-girlfriend was with him on the ride.

But that was then and this is now. She can't continue to put pressure on him and bleed him dry for ever.

As for them still having sex, that's outrageous and completely unacceptable.

I fully understand why you don't wish to hear the details about what went on, but what about your safety? Are there still people out there

who are angry and after him? Is there unfinished business that you might get caught up in? I don't mean to go all "Godfather" on you, but you've got to start thinking about yourself.

Tell him today that he's on his own. He started this mess, now he must end it.

Explain that your nerves can't take anymore – he's put you through too much.

Go and stay with friends or relatives while you think and get your head straight.

My gut feeling is that they are a toxic pair who are as bad as each other.

## Used by 'friend' in need

I TOOK my friend in when her boyfriend threw her out.

I cooked her meals, washed her clothes, and gave her cash. In return she crashed out on my settee, talked on her phone and made a mess.

One day I came back to find she'd filled my house with strangers – she'd thrown an impromptu party with some drunken mates.

I asked her to leave when she started bringing lovers back for noisy sex.

Now she's living it up in LA. Apparently, she was never broke or desperate.

I'm so angry. She took advantage and has never said "thank you". How can people be so ungrateful?

**JANE SAYS:** You tried to do a kind thing and it backfired. Sadly, your friend is not the person you thought she was.

Far from being destitute, she was hoarding her cash.

Now you're left licking your wounds. It's naïve of you to expect thanks because gratitude is rarely forthcoming.

Accept that you were stung and learn from this. Be more questioning in future – but don't allow yourself to become bitter or ungenerous.

She was in the wrong, not you.



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Hate your body?

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Jealousy hell

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## Fear our love is numbered

I RECENTLY found a telephone number scribbled on a piece of paper in my boyfriend's work jacket.

He said a flirty female customer had pushed it into his hand a few weeks ago. Why didn't he screw it up and throw it away? I'm terrified that he has a back-up plan. Am I on my way out?

**JANE SAYS:** Calm down and think logically. He might have been flattered when the woman forced her number upon him, but if he's never called it, then she's not a threat.

Why would you be "on the way out"? Is your relationship in trouble? Start talking and stop assuming the worst.



# PHOTO CASEBOOK

## WHY DID I MARRY HER?

DAY 1

### 1 Adam and Sarah are getting ready for bed



### 2 Adam really doesn't want to get into bed



### 3 Adam feels revolted



### 4 Finally Sarah falls asleep



CONTINUES TOMORROW

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## ARIES

March 21 to April 20

INSTEAD of just thinking about learning something new make enquiries about what courses are available. Whether it is to further your career or mainly for pleasure, you will get a lot of personal satisfaction from expanding your knowledge and interests.

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## GEMINI

May 22 to June 21

SOMEONE you met at a party or nightclub will get in touch just like they promised. You feel in two minds about this. If this is a friendship you prefer not to continue, now is the time to make excuses so you don't meet up again.

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## LEO

July 24 to August 23

HEAVY commitments prey on your mind and conscience. An approaching deadline is causing tension in the workplace. Encourage everyone to make this their focus above all else. You will only start to relax once you have reached this goal.

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## TAURUS

April 21 to May 21

PROBLEMS that had been expected will be avoided due to your careful planning. Events you thought may be cancelled will go ahead – and go so smoothly you might wonder if you are dreaming. Give yourself a pat on the back.

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## CANCER

June 22 to July 23

YOU will be asked if you realised you are included in someone else's plans. You probably did not, and you may not be keen about what has been arranged but it's hard to turn someone down when they have clearly gone to a lot of trouble.

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## VIRGO

August 24 to September 23

MISTAKES or misunderstandings ruin your morning. Petty issues cause tension between you and a partner or pals. Arguments will be quickly resolved, errors will be rectified. To relax spend time reading, painting or listening to music.

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## LIBRA

September 24 to October 23

SECRETS you get to hear will give you an idea of something that has been going on behind your back. Before reacting, check if information you have is reliable. A new light is being shed on recent events. You can turn this to your advantage.

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## SAGITTARIUS

November 23 to December 21

PEOPLE might agree to something one moment but change their mind the next. When new suggestions are put their way they will be swayed. It's tiresome having to work alongside someone who is always changing their views. Keep one step ahead.

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## AQUARIUS

January 21 to February 19

YOU'RE missing out on friends because of obligations elsewhere. It seems as if you're running around all over the place and seeing little for your effort. Life is cluttered and chaotic. Instead of putting up with the mess, get your affairs in order.

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## SCORPIO

October 24 to November 22

DWELLING on an upsetting situation is not going to resolve anything. If you aren't in a position to rectify matters, find ways to keep your mind occupied. Joint activities that make use of your creative skills will help take your mind off other concerns.

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## CAPRICORN

December 22 to January 20

FAMILY and friends will be meeting up to discuss future arrangements. You aren't sure you want to be involved but it's worth showing some interest. If a journey is included in these talks, a few days away would do you the world of good.

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## PISCES

February 20 to March 20

GET out and mix with the world around you. After a recent disappointment, resist the temptation to sneak off to lick your wounds in private. You might feel flat, glum or uninspired but there is so much out there you will enjoy if you look for it.

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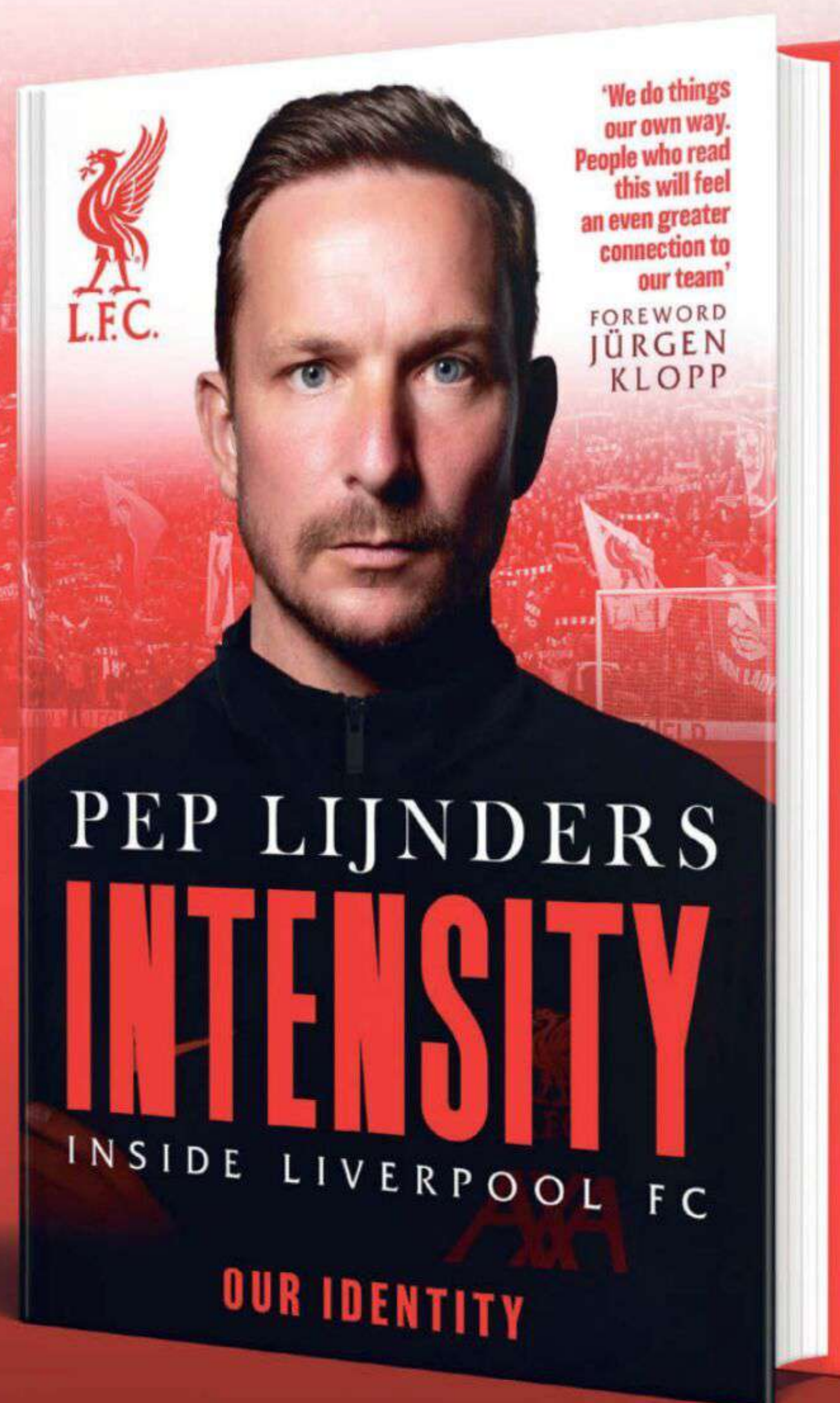
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## Appleby treble

**NEWMARKET** trainer Charlie Appleby enjoyed a memorable Saturday night when saddling three winners in the United States and Canada. Modern Games booked his Breeders' Cup ticket with an impressive victory in the Woodbine Mile in Canada. Appleby's runner won the Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf last year and added the Poule d'Essai des Poulains in the spring. Last seen chasing home Baaed in the Sussex Stakes in July, Modern Games came

■ by **CHRIS GOULDING**  
home five and a quarter lengths clear of the field under William Buick. Appleby (*below*) and Buick made it a Grade One double with **Mysterious Night** in the Summer Stakes. Nations Pride also got on the scoresheet in the States, lifting the 12-furlong Jockey Club Derby at Aqueduct. Partnered by Frankie Dettori, Nations Pride won by an eased-down six and a quarter lengths.



## BEST OF FAIRYHOUSE

Racing TV

### JASON HEAVEY

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So Beautiful	3.50	Native Queen
Mullacash Buzz (tbl)	4.20	Dabana
Perfect Thunder	4.50	Shanghai Dragon (nap)
Midnight Toker	5.20	As It Was
Beauty Crescent	5.50	Deneuve (nb)
Basia	6.20	Baby Rosabella
Secret Road	6.50	Secret Road

### STAR TIP

PLACEPOT FIRST SIX RACES

### 3.20 FAIRYHOUSE MEMBERS CLAIMING RACE

2YO	7f (9 runners)	€5,042
1 (2)	4235 APPROACHING BEAR (4)(B,T) J P O'Brien 9 12.2. D McMonagle	73
2 (9)	1651 BLINDSIDED (24)(D,G)(B) Donnacha O'Brien 9 12.2. P A Harnett (7)	72
3 (3)	4245 CAMILLA GHERARDINI (16)(B) J M Barrett 9 12.2. L T McAtee (3)	66
4 (6)	30 SKIP JAMES (12)(T) G M Lyons 9 10.2. C T Keane	75
5 (8)	551 JACKSTAFF (25) Joseph G Murphy 9 8.2. W J Lee	77
6 (5)	0 ASFASTASLIGHTENING (37) J Davison 9 2.2. J M Sheridan (3)	27
7 (1)	2004 TEXAS BOY (4) John O'Donoghue 9 0.2. Jamie Powell (7)	76
8 (4)	LL MAKEEVERYDAYCOUNT (12) N Meade 8 10.2. C D Hayes	25
9 (4)	5 TRIDENT STAR (51) J Harrington 8 10.2. S Foley	40

Star Betting: 11-4 Texas Boy, 3 Skip James, 4 Approaching Bear, 9-2 Blindsided, 8 Jackstaff, 10 Camilla Gherardini, 14 Trident Star, 50 Asfastaslightening, Makeeverydaycount.

STARFORM: TEXAS BOY DANGER: Approaching Bear

### 3.50 SOLDIERS CALL AT BALLYHANE FILLIES MDN

7f	(19 runners)	€6,050
1 (3)	GUARDIAN ANJAAL Gerard Kyne 4 9.6. Mark Enright	40
2 (18)	000 JINGLERS BRIDGE (11) S Millar 4 9.6. C McConnell (7)	40
3 (17)	0/0 QUIVIVE (364) L Comer 5 9.6. G M Ryan	44
4 (10)	00 VENTO DEL POZZO (103) W M Roper 4 9.6. S Foley	40
5 (2)	-402 ACCOMPLISHED (19) K J Condon 3 9.3. J M Sheridan (3)	79
6 (5)	06 ALBATRA (35) J McConnell 3 9.3. D W O'Connor	79
7 (4)	1 L BEAGAL DANCER (55)(T) D Kinsella 3 9.3. R P Cleary	45
8 (9)	4243 BLAZING SKIES (16)(V) W McCreery 3 9.3. W J Lee	45
9 (13)	0 CANNES DO (19) P Byrne 3 9.3. S D Bowen (7)	45
10 (12)	00 CASARINA (26)(T) M Mulvaney 3 9.3. N M Crossie (3)	60
11 (6)	00 ECHOING W McCreery 3 9.3. G F Carroll	—
12 (15)	FASHION FLAIR John O'Donoghue 3 9.3. G Halpin	—
13 (7)	6 GREEK FLOWER (12) P Feane 3 9.3. K J Manning	65
14 (1)	2-2 NATIVE QUEEN (16) J P O'Brien 3 9.3. M P Sheehy	89
15 (16)	20-0 QUEENS COMMAND (25) Kevin Coleman 3 9.3. J A Heffernan	79
16 (14)	036 SO BEAUTIFUL (30)(B) A P O'Brien 3 9.3. W M Lordan	83
17 (11)	4456 TORIANGEL (19) S Lavery 3 9.3. R Colgan	79
18 (19)	4 VADIANA (19) T Collins 3 9.3. R Whelan	79
19 (8)	-40 RETRO FLAME (19)(P) Thomas Dowling 4 9.6. RESERVE	42

Star Betting: 5-2 Native Queen, 4 So Beautiful, 5 Blazing Skies, Accomplished, 8 Toriangel, Vadiana, 12 Queens Command, 14 Skies.

STARFORM: ACCOMPLISHED DANGER: Native Queen

**TOP TRAINERS** (with runners) J P O'Brien 20 winners, (17.1% strike rate), +£48.92, G M Lyons 13, (14.3%), -£35.08, J P Murtagh 10, (16.9%), -£5.88, J Harrington 9, (11.7%), -£42.12, A P O'Brien 7, (13.0%), -£34.00, W McCreery 6, (13.3%), 0.00, D Hogan 6, (10.2%), +£30.00, J McConnell 5, (8.1%), -£3.62.

**TOP JOCKEYS** (with mounts) Colin Keane 17 winners, (13.0% strike rate), +£68.20, Shane Foley 15, (13.6%), +£10.46, Declan McDonogh 13, (14.8%), +£43.03, Billy Lee 11, (13.1%), -£10.87.

### 4.20 TREO EILE APPRENTICE HANDICAP (47-75)

7f	(21 runners)	€5,546
1 (20)	0131 HODD'S GIRL (3)(D,A,G) A McGuinness 5 10 27(ex) Adam Caffrey (4)	75
2 (2)	0012 YESTER (11) T G McCourt 6 10 2. J J G Ryan (4)	77
3 (4)	4506 ELZAAM BLUE (11)(A)(P) D Buryan 4 10 1. S Osborne	79
4 (1)	2000 MUHALHEL (6)(D,G)(T) A McCann 4 10 0. S R Markey (7)	75
5 (8)	5330 LADY ARWEN (26)(D,G) J M Barrett 3 9 13. L T McAtee	76
6 (12)	-121 ROYAL SCHOLAR (35)(A) S Lynam 5 9 13. D McMonagle	76
7 (5)	-532 DABANA (83)(B)(T,V) D K Weld 3 9 11. O Enright (7)	71
8 (11)	0010 GINSBURG (121)(D)(P,T) Paul Mulligan 4 11. R M Mulligan (7)	78
9 (16)	0210 CALIN CLISTE (38)(B,F,C,G) John O'Donoghue 3 9 7. Jamie Powell (2)	82

10 (18)	5010 EASTERN RACER (19)(D,A,G,S)(B) J McAuley 10 9 7. MP Sheehy	75
11 (3)	1021 MULLACASH BUZZ (21)(D3,A,G)(T) Thomas Dowling 4 9 7. J Cleary (4)	78
12 (6)	L006 PULSE OF SHANGHAI (11)(D3,A) A McGuinness 6 9 7. C J MacRedmond	80
13 (9)	6-00 SHE'S IN THE GAME (44)(D,G) W T Farrell 5 9 6. Neve Bennett (7)	81
14 (13)	0000 WEE PABLO (13)(D2,G,S)(T) P Martin 5 9 6. J Coen	77
15 (14)	1005 GIRL CRUSH (19)(D) J McAuley 3 9 5. N M Crossie	80
16 (10)	0400 SEEKING BELIEVING (56) M Mulvaney 3 9 5. S T McCullagh	76
17 (7)	-214 DUCKY MALLON (23)(D,C,D,G,S)(T) D Kinsella 11 9 3. S D Bowen (4)	78
18 (21)	600- EL MAGA (342)(G) Tom McGuinness 3 9 1. J M Sheridan	50
19 (15)	0040 UISC (46) Mrs P Dobbs 3 8 13. RESERVE	79
20 (19)	-006 SAGITTARIUS RISING (26)(D,D,S) J McConnell 7 8 7. RESERVE	77
21 (17)	6540 BALLYAX (99) W T Farrell 4 8 7. RESERVE	79

Star Betting: 9-2 Royal Scholar, 5 Dabana, 6 Mullacash Buzz, 8 Hodd's Girl, 10 Yester, Ducky Mallon, 12 Elzaam Blue, Calin Cliste, She's In The Game, Pulse Of Shanghai, 14 others.

STARFORM: ROYAL SCHOLAR DANGER: Dabana

### 4.50 IRISH STALLION FARMS FILLIES HANDICAP

7f	(11 runners)	€10,084
1 (2)	4644 BEAUTIFUL SUNSHINE (38)(S) A Murray 3 10 0. J A Heffernan	84
2 (8)	4011 SHANGHAI DRAGON (39)(G)(V) J P Murtagh 3 10 0. B M Coen	85
3 (3)	1010 RED HEEL (6)(D2,A,G) M Mulvaney 5 9 13. Jamie Powell (7)	87
4 (11)	001 ONE SMALL STEP (18)(D2,G) Kevin Coleman 5 9 12. W M Lordan	91
5 (5)	1423 PERFECT THUNDER (71)(D) J P O'Brien 3 9 10. S M Crossie	87
6 (6)	-006 CAMDEBOO (38)(D,G) J P O'Brien 4 9 8. D McDonogh	90
7 (10)	6423 BELLS ON HER TOES (12)(D)(V) A Slattery 3 9 6. A Slattery	84
8 (4)	1240 CORPORAL VIOLETTE (49)(B,F,G) G M Lyons 3 9 6. C T Keane	90
9 (1)	0303 AFFABLE (38)(D2,G,S)(T) K J Condon 5 9 3. J M Sheridan	89
10 (9)	1030 PRINCESS RAL (46)(D)(T) J Harrington 3 9 3. A Glynn (7)	92
11 (7)	1010 CLONADH (79)(S)(V) W McCreery 4 9 1. W J Lee	79

Star Betting: 3 Shanghai Dragon, 9-2 One Small Step, 6 Perfect Thunder, Bells On Her Toes, 8 Corporal Violette, Affable, 10 Princess Ral, Camdeboo, 12 others.

S-FORM: CORPORAL VIOLETTE DANGER: One Small Step

### GOING: GOOD

### 5.20 KILMINFOYLE HOUSE STUD NURSERY H'CAP

2YO	6f (5 runners)	€6,555
1 (2)	1010 AS IT WAS (8)(D2,G)(T) A Oliver 10 1. W M Lordan	82
2 (3)	5426 THUNDERBEAR (3)(V) J Davison 9 10. L T McAtee (3)	85
3 (5)	3203 MIDNIGHT Toker (25)(B,F) G M Lyons 9 9. C T Keane	84
4 (4)	3330 REINFORCE (37)(B,F) John O'Donoghue 9 7. Jamie Powell (7)	82
5 (1)	4560 PRETTY PERSUASION (4)(V) W McCreery 8 8. N M Crossie (3)	82

Reinforce, 9-4 Midnight Toker, 5-2 As It Was, 3 Thunderbear, 4 Pretty Persuasion.

STARFORM: MIDNIGHT TOKER DANGER: Thunderbear

### 5.50 BALLYHANE BLENHEIM STAKES (LISTED)

6	(5)	103	CORALLILLO (23)(D,G)(T) E & P Harty 9 0	C D Hayes	110
7	(1)	1L	DENEUE (121)(D,G) A P O'Brien 9 0	J A Heffernan	94
7	(6)	01	EXECUTIVE DECISION (16)(D,G) J Harrington 9 0	S Foley	88
8	(4)	1165	LADY BULLET (30)(D,G)(P) Alice Haynes (UK) 9 0	K O'Neill	99
9	(9)	61	OCEAN JEWEL (17)(G) W McCreery 9 0	W J Lee	96

Star Betting: 2 Corallillo, 11-2 Beauty Crescent, 6 Deneue  
Badh, 7 Ocean Jewel, 8 Daamberidiplomat, 10 Executive Decision  
12 Lady Bullet, 20 Match Play.

**STARFORM: CORALLILLO DANGER: Deneue**

Star Betting: 2 Corallillo, 11-2 Beauty Crescent, 6 Deneuve, Badb, 7 Ocean Jewel, 8 Daamberidipomat, 10 Executive Decision, 12 Lady Bullet, 20 Match Play.

STARFORM: CORALLILLO DANGER: Deneuve

### 6.20 FLAT FINALE HANDICAP (47-65) (DIV 1)

6f	(21 runners)	€5,042
1 (5)	0-20 ALOYSIUS LILIUS (30)(D2,A,G)(B,T) G O'Leary 6 10 1. C T Keane	73
2 (11)	0000 FLAG HIGH (26)(H) J McConnell 3 9 9. D W O'Connor	84
3 (4)	4000 LINUS LARRABEE (100)(A)(B,T) J Lynam 5 9 9. B M Coen	73
4 (14)	0200 LEXINGTON LIBERTY (10)(B,T) D Hogan 4 9 8. J M Sheridan (3)	76
5 (9)	4000 DEUTERONOMY (59) R P Burns 3 9 7. S M Crossie	62
6 (1)	4065 BABY ROSABELLA (45)(T) J Davison 3 9 5. R Whelan	70
7 (17)	0000 MARKIEWICZ (49)(D,G) S Lavery 4 9 4. R Colgan	71
8 (16)	6604 ANDROMEDAS KINGDOM (110)(B) M C Grassick 4 9 3. W J Lee	74
9 (2)	0010 CAESAR'S COMET (11)(D2,A,G)(B) J McAuley 8 9 2. S Foley	69
10 (6)	000 MRS SHELBY (80) Ciaran Murphy 3 8 12. Siobhan Rutledge (5)	56
11 (20)	5040 PILLAR (30)(D3,A,G) R K Watson 8 9 12. J A Heffernan	63
12 (15)	-06 VENTO DEL DRAGO (90)(T) W M Roper 5 8 12. D McDonogh	56
13 (3)	0663 BASIA (21)(T) G Cromwell 3 8 10. C D Hayes	64
14 (7)	-000 BELLA ROSETTA (38) Tom McGuinness 3 8 10. Joe Doyle	55
15 (13)	0000 DERRINLAUGH SPENDER (30)(P) Eoin Joseph McDonagh 3 8 10. Killian Leonard	62

16 (8)	-000 HELEDD (79) Joseph G Murphy 3 8 10. W M Lordan	70
17 (18)	6006 HOT WHISPERS (16)(T) S Nolan 3 8 10. Jamie Powell (7)	69
18 (19)	0050 PINK SKY AT NIGHT (103) John C Shearnan 3 8 10. R Whearty (7)	64
19 (12)	6100 MASS GATHERING (16)(D2,G,S)(B,T) J G Murray 4 10 0. RESERVE	52
20 (10)	0325 AMMANY HALL (11)(P) P J McKenna 4 9 4. RESERVE	71
21 (24)	0000 STICKYOURNECKOUT (12) J F Lewis 3 8 10. RESERVE	66

Star Betting: 4 Andromedas Kingdom, 9-2 Baby Rosabella, 5 Basia, 8 Caesar's Comet, 10 Hot Whispers, Aloysius Lilius, 12 Linus Larrabee, 14 Lexington Liberty, Flag High, 16 others.

S-FORM: ANDROMEDAS KINGDOM D: Caesar's Comet

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## YESTERDAY'S UK RESULTS

<b>HAMILTON</b>
1.30: 1, INSTALLATION (Oisin Orr 15-8); 2, QUEENIE ROONEY (C Rodriguez 10-3); 3, Concert Boy (12-1). 13-8 fav Colnago, dht, 3l 6 ran. R Fahy, K Dalgleish. Tote: Installation £144, Queenie Rooney £217, pl Installation £150, Queenie Rooney £160. Exacta: Installation, Queenie Rooney £400. Queenie Rooney, Installation £490. Trifecta: Installation, Queenie Rooney, Concert Boy £1760. Queenie Rooney, Installation, Concert Boy £2280. CSF: Installation, Queenie Rooney £410, Queenie Rooney, Installation £481.
2.00: 1, IRIS DANCER (R Scott 17-2); 2, Kentucky Rose (7-1); 3, Miss Bella Brand (5-1). 9-2 jttav Roshambo, 9-2 jttav Fox Hill. 3/4l, 2/4l, 11 ran. T Davidson. Tote: £970; pl £280, £280, £170. Exacta: £7510. Tricast: £33979. Trifecta: £56520. CSF: £6536.
2.30: 1, GIFTED RULER (C Lee 10-11 fav); 2, Zuraig (16-5); 3, Gordonstoun (28-1). 2/4l, 4/2l, 5 ran. H Palmer. Tote: £191; pl £110, £150, £360. Trifecta: £2250. CSF: £405.
3.00: 1, THE GAY BLADE (A Mullen 12-1); 2, Caleta Sunrise (11-2); 3, Bonito Cavallo (20-1). 10-3 fav Matty Too. 1/2l, sn, 10 ran. I Jardine. Tote: £1380; pl £380, £170, £560. Exacta: £10080. Tricast: £131657. Trifecta: £159740. CSF: £7572.
3.30: 1, RED ALLURE (P Mathers 17-2); 2, Burtonlodge Beauty (6-1); 3, Birdie Bowers (8-1). 9-2 fav Shesadabber. hd, 3/4l, 13 ran. R Menzies. Tote: £970; pl £320, £290, £300. Exacta: £7590. Tricast: £44814.
<b>JACKPOT: Not won, pool of £3,295.24 carried over.</b>
<b>QUADPOT: £7730</b>
<b>PLACEPOT: £348.30</b>
<b>PLUMPTON</b>
1.50: 1, MORDRED (M Bastyan



### DOUBLE: Paul Mulrennan

Trifecta: £1090.50. CSF: £60.56.
4.00: 1, LOCHNAVER (P Mulrennan 18-5); 2, Simple Star (5-1); 3, Starlyte (12-1). 11-4 fav Clan Jock. shd, 4/4l, 9 ran. J Goldie. Tote: £460; pl £190, £160, £420. Exacta: £2340. Tricast: £19828. Trifecta: £27710. CSF: £2277. NR: Haven Lady.
4.30: 1, A LA FRANCAISE (P Mulrennan 5-4 fav); 2, Lechro (33-1); 3, Super Stars (4-1). 1/2l, 1/2l, 11 ran. J Goldie. Tote: £225; pl £120, £720, £180. Exacta: £5220. Tricast: £14490. Trifecta: £26600. CSF: £6290.
<b>JACKPOT: Not won, pool of £3,295.24 carried over.</b>
<b>QUADPOT: £7730</b>
<b>PLACEPOT: £348.30</b>
<b>PLUMPTON</b>
1.50: 1, MORDRED (M Bastyan

7-4); 2, Lusaka (4-6 fav); 3, Indigo Lake (15-2). 5l, 21l, 3 ran. M Harris. Tote: £275. Exacta: £320. Trifecta: £400. CSF: £344. NR: Seigneur Des As, Thunder Flash.
2.20: 1, SPECIAL BUDDY (K Woods 9-5 fav), 2, Agent Sanois (6-1); 3, Easley Lad (7-2). 5/2l, 1/4l, 6 ran. B Pauling. Tote: £280; pl £160, £310. Exacta: £1240. Trifecta: £4150. CSF: £1253.
2.50: 1, MR FREEDOM (M Goldstein 10-3); 2, Executive Pool (9-2); 3, Bornbaleader (5-6 fav). 4l, 21l, 6 ran. Miss S West. Tote: £434; pl £180, £200. Exacta: £1630. Trifecta: £2650. CSF: £1853. NR: Major Gatsby.
3.20: 1, SEE THE SEA (P J Kavanagh 6-1); 2, Glimpse Of Gold (17-2); 3, Thibault (3-1). evens fav Sergeant. 1l, 3l, 7 ran. D McCain. Tote: £700; pl £250, £350. Exacta: £5110. Trifecta: £15080. CSF: £5173.
3.50: 1, ONLY MONEY (T Cannon 5-2); 2, Barest Of Margins (10-11 fav); 8l, 4 ran. C Gordon. Tote: £350. Exacta: £510. Trifecta: £520. CSF: £545. NR: Coal Stock.
4.20: 1, BOOMTIME BANKER (Lilly Pinchin 16-5); 2, Cherry Cola (14-1); 3, Cadeau D'Or (13-2). 3-1 fav Dellboy Trotter. 1/4l, 1l, 11 ran. D J Jeffreys. Tote: £440; pl £180, £250, £240. Exacta: £5410. Tricast: £28163. Trifecta: £29710. CSF: £4790. NR: Chivers, Cobbs Corner.
4.50: 1, INVICTUS DE BRION (T Cannon 13-8); 2, Alien Storm (5-4 fav); 3, Merrijig (7-2). 1/2l, 1/4l, 4 ran. C Gordon. Tote: £263; Exacta: £390. Trifecta: £560. CSF: £410.
<b>QUADPOT: £148.40</b>
<b>PLACEPOT: £1,314.90</b>

## GREYHOUND RESULTS

<b>DONCASTER</b>
10.46: Millers Bally (3) 13-8 fav, Bitofathing (6) 6-1, NR: Keefill Delphine (res), bf: £13.17, tri: (3-6-5) £29.01, 11.01: Happy Tally (4) 7-4 fav, Thereurrow (1) 9-2, bf: £11.49, tri: (4-1-3) £22.23, 11.16: Pennys Seven (6) 5-1, Ballymac Tyson (1) 6-4 fav, NR: Keefill Didier (res), bf: £17.50, tri: (6-1-2) £59.45, 11.31: Rycroft Cleo (2) 5-2, Optic Magic (3) 9-4 fav, bf: £10.47, tri: (2-3-5) £31.58, 11.46: Kramer (4) 10-1, Jaxx Bandita (3) 9-1, bf: £29.76, tri: (4-3-5) £401.59, 12.01: Jemmapops (1) 9-2, Eden Honey (6) 5-1, bf: £35.33, tri: (1-6-5) £99.31, 12.16: Redbrick Boyo (3) 5-4 fav, Turlough Queen (4)



# BEST OF LISTOWEL

## JASON HEAVEY

Carrigmoorna Queen	2.35	Walk On The Moone
John Cannon	3.05	Tinder Dan
Brazil (nap)	3.35	Sheishybrid
Buttons And Bows	4.05	Sequoiaspirit
Elle Perfecta	4.35	Hgranca De Thaix
Grand Roi (nb)	5.05	Adamantly Chosen
Abbeydale	5.35	Bukhill

## STAR TIP

GOING: GOOD

PLACEPOT FIRST SIX RACES

### 2.35 IRISH STALLION FARMS EBF MARES MAIDEN HURDLE (12 flights) 2m 4f (21 runners) €7,059

1	603	CARRIG CAROL (164) P Croke 5 11 7	R J Condon (5)	106
2	2-18	CARRIGMOORNA QUEEN (51)S W P Mullins 5 11 7	P Townend	76
3	00	CHERISHEVERYMOMENT (17) Miss Liz Doyle 5 11 7	R Deegan	76
4	3/11PP	FONS VIVUS (155)S Padraig Butler 6 11 7	B Hayes	112
5	2/4L-18	HAZELHATCH LADY (80)S James Andrew Fahey 5 11 7	Mr D O'Connor	112
6	F110L-0	KILBUNNY PONTIC (169)G D M O'Brien 5 11 7	J J Slevin	112
7	4-L18	MOON RISE BEAUTY (43)T W P Mullins 5 11 7	S O'Keefe	112
8	0	PULLTHEPLUG (10) M Kennedy 6 11 7	L A McKenna (7)	109
9	03	ROCCOS INSPIRATION (10) M Kennedy 5 11 7	M J M O'Sullivan (7)	109
10	013-154	TIME TO ROCCO (16)S C Motherway 5 11 7	S W Flanagan	94
11	PUR0P-3	TWOJUSTWO EQUALS (38)B Paul Tobin 5 11 7	R Doyle	99
12	1-282	WALK ON THE MOONE (36)B W P Mullins 5 11 7	D E Mullins	103
13	328F	BETTY DUTTON (28) E J O'Grady 4 11 4	D J O'Keefe	103
14	5L233-6	BYNX (14) M Hassett 4 11 4	B J Cooper	111
15	21222	COME ON DU BERLAIS (24)G G Elliott 4 11 4	D N Russell	110
16	2-2215	GAOTH CHUIIL (56) T M Walsh 4 11 4	D O'Regan	100
17	U	NO RISK NO STORY (14) B McMahon 4 11 4	P J Carberry	111
18	OL	RUN GETAWAY RUN (127) S Braddish 4 11 4	K J Brouder	111
19	06404	DRUMDERRY HARLEM (24)T Mark J Scallan 6 11 7	RESERVE	14
20	L	LADYS SPIRIT (66) T O'Brien 5 11 7	RESERVE	14
21	PR-SPPO	COCO LIGHTNING (10)M T P O'Connor 5 11 7	RESERVE	70

Star Betting: 13-8 Carrigmoorna Queen, 3 Walk On The Moone, 6 Come On Du Berlais, 8 Moon Rise Beauty, 10 Bynx, 12 Gaoth Chuiil, 14 others.

STARFORM: CARRIGMOORNA QUEEN DANGER: Hazelhatch Lady

### 3.05 CONNOLLY'S RED MILLS AUCTION MAIDEN HURDLE (10 flights) 2m (16 runners) €10,084

1	1-04	IRISH ENVOY (146) Miss Liz Doyle 4 11 10	S W Flanagan	104
2	/F50300	LOOKONDEBRIGHTS (30) Peter Fahey 6 11 10	K Sexton	104
3	362/645	TINDER DAN (14)H C Farrell 7 11 10	Mr S Cavanagh (7)	134
4	3466-P0	BEEVERSTOWN BULLET (116) M A Cahill 8 11 8	Naill Moore (7)	101
5	2240-F4	JOHN CANNON (14) Joseph G Murphy 7 11 8	C R King	122
6	U630/	MARCO ROCK (600) E O'Sullivan 6 11 8	Miss M O'Sullivan (5)	111
7	L	NO DETERMENT (204)P C Byrnes 5 11 8	P Byrnes (7)	111
8	6	DEEP POCKETS (113) E McCarthy 4 11 6	G B Noonan (7)	111
9	9	KILBRIDE HILL (42) S Ryan 4 11 6	P K Donovan (5)	95
10	4	NEPHIN BEA (42) S Doyle 4 11 6	J Gairford	44
11	6L-0	NIGHTS OF DOVEN (129)T D Hogan 4 11 6	D King (7)	44
12	0	SPLIT THE POUND (10) J P Ryan 4 11 6	N T Prendergast (7)	44
13	0L2P2	SHAMROR LASS (184) D Hogan 5 11 1	D G Hogan	55
14	0	COLOURFUL LIL E McCarthy 4 10 13	M J M O'Sullivan (7)	79
15	0	EMILY IN PARIS (24) D E Fitzgerald 4 10 13	D E Mullins	79
16	0	RATHNALEEN ZOEY (123) E McCarthy 4 10 13	R Deegan	72

Star Betting: 2 John Cannon, 3 Tinder Dan, 6 Irish Envoy, 8 Nephin Beg, 14 Marco Rock, 20 Shamrora Lass, No Determent, Emily In Paris, 25 others.

STARFORM: IRISH ENVOY DANGER: John Cannon

### 3.35 LIAM HEALY LARTIGUE HURDLE (HANDICAP) (GRADE B) (10 flights) 4YO 2m (16 runners) €30,252

1	6541-13	BRAZIL (165)D2,S P Roche 11 12	M P Walsh	142
2	4L-211	BRITZKA (F25)D3,G,B,T G Elliott 11 5	D N Russell	145
3	221301	IBERIQUE DU SEUIL (154)D2,S G Elliott 11 5	M J M O'Sullivan (7)	141
4	1-21103	PAIRIE DANCER (53)D,G,S,B J P O'Brien 11 2	J J Slevin	145
5	12204-0	LUNAR POWER (F18)D(P) N Meade 10 13	B J Cooper	146
6	01F1-5	MAN O WORK (142)D2 P G Fahey 10 11	S O'Callaghan (7)	144
7	05120-L	DOCTOR CHURCHILL (28)D,S G Elliott 10 9	J Gairford	142
8	1L30-14	EBASARI (52)D,S,P,T G Elliott 10 8	D O'Regan	144
9	5221-4	GLOBAL EXPORT (F24)D G Cromwell 10 8	L Dempsey	140
10	31-223F	DOUGLAS DC (F19)D G Elliott 10 8	S Ewing	148
11	0222-41	EVERGREEN AND RED (F17)D,G,T,N Meade 10 2	D J O'Keefe	149
12	311	SHEISHYBRID (F17)G,T,N Meade 10 0	Rachael Blackmore	144
13	00-1P0	SAWBUCK (F25)D C O'Dwyer 10 0	C G O'Dwyer (7)	140
14	331-P	ONLY SKY (F18)D,G,P,T J Harrington 10 0	S O'Keefe	136
15	30-6	SUPPOSEDT0BE (F35)T,T D Hogan 10 0	C P McNamara	131
16	415544	EAGLE TERRACE (5) J J Hanlon 10 0	K J Brouder	137

LONG H'CAP: Sawbuck 9-12, Only Sky 9-9, Supposedtobe 9-9, Eagle Terrace 9-7.

Star Betting: 9-2 Brazil, 5 Sheishybrid, Prairie Dancer, 6 Britzka, 8 Iberique Du Seuil, 10 Evergreen And Red, Ebasari, 12 Lunar Power, Douglas DC, 14 others.

STARFORM: EBASARI DANGER: Brazil

### 4.05 ADARE MANOR OPPORTUNITY HANDICAP HDL (80-109) (10 flights) 2m (21 runners) €6,807

1	36-200	BROOKIE (30) A J Martin 5 12 0	L A McKenna	112
2	4000-PP	DR MIKEY (123)C,D2,G,S Ms M Flynn 13 12 0	D McGrath (2)	95
3	3-32566	MOULANE WEST (30)G Richard Anthony Foley 6 11 12	Kieran Callaghan	109
4	-615434	CHURCHTOWN RUBY (27)T D Queally 5 11 11	Mr J P Kirwan (2)	114
5	661-0	VIRTUAL HUG (42)D(T) C O'Dwyer 4 11 10	C G O'Dwyer	108
6	5000-00	SON OF HYPNOS (56)G(P) Kevin Smith 5 11 9	S O'Callaghan	94
7	/400-00	COMPLETE FANTASY (45)B,T P Magee 5 11 7	M J Molloy (2)	106
8	P34-L0L	QUARRY LIL (101)D2,G,S P O'Flynn 8 11 7	P T Smithers (2)	111
9	0/62-42	SEQUOIASPIRIT (F13) R Hackett 5 11 7	T Brett	112
10	00F-035	GENERAL CLERMONT (64) D E Fitzgerald 6 11 6	T J Kelly	116
11	00-0305	TOMS COURAGE (14)D2,G,S,H M Burke 8 11 5	Naill Moore	115
12	L/5664	LEROY LEROY (F81)D2,G J J Hanlon 6 11 4	Shane Fenelon	112
13	6F00-LP	BUTTONS AND BOWS (F16)D2,G P J Flynn 8 11 3	A P Kelly	112
14	00U62	CONTRAPPOSTO (F16) R Donohoe 8 11 3	C M Quirk	112
15	431260	PRESENTING LAD (33)G,D,G,T M McNeill 6 11 2	M J M O'Sullivan	112
16	00L0-03	VENEZIANO SPRINGS (14)D,G,S,T D Hogan 10 11 2	D King	110
17	0004-06	CRESCENT LAKE (F35)B,T T O'Brien 5 11 1	G Bourke	110
18	55P-060	MARELY (14) E McCarthy 5 11 0	G B Noonan	109
19	0/00-60	WELL FUNDED (2)T E McCarthy 6 10 12	RESERVE	110
20	L-12P4L	GOOD BYE MILAN (60)G S Braddish 5 10 10	RESERVE	113
21	0P-0F0	WILLIE BOB (42) M Hourigan 5 10 10	RESERVE	106

Star Betting: 9-2 Sequoiaspirit, 6 Veneziano Springs, 7 Crescent Lake, 8 General Clermont, Leroy Leroy, 10 Toms Courage, Contraposto, Brookie, 12 others.

STARFORM: VENEZIANO SPRINGS DANGER: Sequoiaspirit

### 4.35 KEVIN'S BAR, LISTOWEL HANDICAP HURDLE (80-116) (12 flights) 2m 4f (21 runners) €6,050

1	636L/45	DRUMCLIFF (14)G,S,P,T P Roche 11 12 0	Miss A B O'Connor (5)	117
2	3-25L33	ROCK ON SEAMIE (31)G R Hackett 7 12 0	T Brett (7)	118
3	0/2-16	ELLE PERFECTA (55)D,G Colm Murphy 6 11 12	L A McKenna (7)	123
4	140L-1L	THE DASHER CONWAY (66)G,S Mrs G Callaghan 7 11 12	K M Donoghue	119
5	01L-UF1	WOJOD (F3)G(P,T) D Hogan 6 11 11	D King (7)	119
6	236-332	SNUGSBOROUGH BENNY (33)D,G J P Broderick 12 11 10	D O'Regan	118
7	33-4400	BALLYADAM DESTINY (14)D,G,P,T D Hogan 8 11 9	A Coleman	118
8	00-L11U	ROTTEN ROW (17)B,F,D,G A Mullins 5 11 9	D E Mullins	117
9	PP6-230	TURBOJET (71)CD,S,P,T D A McLoughlin 11 11 8	P J O'Hanlon (5)	125
10	043304	CREGANE NED (158)S P O'Flynn 8 11 7	G B Noonan (7)	123
11	25-P031	PALE BLUE DOT (27)D,G,P,D Hogan 6 11 7	D G Hogan	119
12	000-131	STORY RORY (33)T T Gibney 7 11 7	D J O'Keefe	116
13	L0-1405	CRAIC EILE (F18)G(P,T) D Budds 5 11 5	Mr J P Kirwan (7)	118
14	050243	HGRANCA DE THAIX (245)P G Connell 5 11 5	M J M O'Sullivan (7)	121
15	42-35L2	MY MANEKINEKO (27)G Gearoid Brouder 13 11 5	Gearoid Brouder (5)	124
16	2132022	FRAZEL EXPRESS (33)G J Barcoe 10 11 3	C M Quirk	119
17	/60036	ENDLESSLY (F54)S(T) M J Smith 7 11 2	P J Carberry	121
18	P-00031	GROZNI (2)G,S C Byrnes 6 11 0	P Byrnes (7)	120
19	004-145	REBELLIOUS GALE (50)G A J Martin 6 10 13	RESERVE	118
20	L0-0424	BEAR CLAWS (38)G(P,T) E McNamara 6 10 11	RESERVE	120
21	41235-0	INDIE BELLE (14)D Robert Widger 5 10 6	RESERVE	123

Star Betting: 4 Grozni, 7 Hgranca De Thaix, 8 Rotten Row, Elle Perfecta, 10 others.

STARFORM: GROZNI DANGER: Rotten Row

### 5.05 JOHN F. MCGUIRE BEGINNERS CHASE (13 fences) 2m 1f (7 runners) €7,059

1	2210-40	ADAMANTLY CHOSEN (53)B/P W P Mullins 5 11 12	P Townend	102
2	/344P3	GRAND ROI (154)S(P) G Elliott 6 11 12	D N Russell	102
3	10-00L0	MASTERSTONEMASON (31)P F Costello 8 11 12	C G O'Dwyer (7)	102
4	/L4POP	MATTIE'S MOUNTAIN (164)S E McCarthy 7 11 12	M J M O'Sullivan (7)	123
5	F/L6L6	SOLOMAN LANE (150) M Hassett 7 11 12	L A McKenna (7)	93
6	/11L-4P	WATCH HOUSE CROSS (106)B,F,S(T) H De Bromhead 5 11 12	Rachael Blackmore	118
7	000-5	BARELY MADE IT (14) J Grace 5 11 5	P K Donovan (5)	70

Star Betting: 11-10 Grand Roi, 6-4 Adamantly Chosen, 4 Watch House Cross, 50 Mattie's Mountain, 66 Soloman Lane, Masterstonemason, Barely Made It.

STARFORM: ADAMANTLY CHOSEN DANGER: Grand Roi

# EULOGY TO THE QUEEN

# She was the best of the best

## ROYAL TRAINER PAYS TRIBUTE

**ROYAL** trainer Andrew Balding described The Queen as 'best of the best' on the eve of her funeral at Westminster Abbey today.

Balding, whose father Ian also trained for Her Majesty at his Kingsclere stables in Hampshire, said on Racing TV's Luck on Sunday programme: "I was extremely lucky, obviously, to inherit The Queen as an owner, but she was very supportive, as she was with a lot of young people, and it was a huge privilege to have had that opportunity.

"She had such a desire to see her horses that she had bred and see them race, obviously. "I hope she got a huge pleasure from most of it

■ **by CHRIS GOULDING** anyway. She never put any pressure on you. "Everyone that had the great fortune to train for her, I think, would be totally committed to try and do their best."

"She was the best of the best, obviously as human and as a person, and as an owner, very much the best of the best."

Triple Cheltenham Gold Cup winning trainer Henrietta Knight, famed for her handling of Best Mate, paid an emotional tribute to Her Majesty.

"It's been a very moving week, to see the reaction of the people has just been mind

boggling, really," said Knight. "One lady had such a huge influence on the world.

"She was like God.

"She was a giver, she enjoyed life and looked to the future."

Knight, retired from training in 2012, added: "She was passionate about her racing, she lived for it, along with everything else she did in her sense of duty.

"She was such a knowledgeable

lady - she knew everything. The pedigrees, temperament and the well-being of all her horses - brilliant"

Newmarket also paid tribute to The Queen when two of her racehorses cantered up the Warren Hill gallops with their riders wearing Her Majesty's famous purple and red royal silks.

Educator, bred by The Queen and partnered by Michael Hills, was joined by Saga, with Rab Havlin in the saddle, during the exercise in front of a huge and appreciative crowd.

Saga, beaten a head in the Britannia Stakes at Royal Ascot behind Thesis in June, has a Cambridgeshire entry

at Newmarket this Saturday, for which he is currently a 20-1 shot.

**HONOUR:** In a tribute, two of The Queen's horses were ridden in her famous colours on the gallops at Newmarket yesterday



**QUEEN'S HORSES:** Saga, with Rob Havlin on board, and Educator, ridden by Michael Hills (left), canter up the gallops



## Andy's teaser

IT MIGHT have been Andy Murray's 'Last Dance' in his homeland but Scotland's favourite sporting son has admitted there could yet be an encore.

Around 7,000 fans turned up at Glasgow's Emirates Arena yesterday to pay homage and he rewarded them with a 6-4 6-3 Davis Cup win over Kazakhstan's Dmitri Popko.

Murray (*inset*) said: "It was brilliant. It was the fullest it had been all week. "Maybe that's the last

■ by DAVID MCCARTHY

time I play here or get to play for Britain in front of a crowd like that but we also might be back here in February potentially.

"We'll just have to wait and see."

British No.1 Cam Norrie lost 6-4 6-3 to world No.44 Alexander

Bublik in the second singles match of the day.

In the doubles decider Joe Salisbury and Neal Skupski beat Bublik and Aleksandr Nedovyesov 7-6 6-7 7-6.



## MOEEN FEELS A SENSE OF PRIDE

MOEEN ALI has expressed his pride at leading England in Pakistan.

But he rejected the suggestion the tourists have brought a second-string squad for the seven Twenty20 internationals.

Jos Buttler has made the trip but England's white-ball captain is wary of rushing his return from a calf injury sustained in The Hundred.

While there is optimism he could feature later on in the series, he will miss tomorrow's opener in Karachi, so Moeen takes on the captaincy role for

■ by RICHARD LEWIS

England's first fixture in Pakistan since late 2005.

Moeen, an English international of Pakistan descent, admitted it was a privilege to take the armband.

He said: "With my roots being from here and to lead England in such a big and historic series, it's huge.

"It's a very proud moment for me and my family."

Tom Helm, Luke Wood, Will Jacks and Jordan Cox are uncapped and Olly Stone has not played a T20 for England.

With Harry Brook, Liam

Dawson, Ben Duckett, Richard Gleeson and Phil Salt yet to reach double digits in T20 caps, there is a fresher feel to England's 20-strong squad.

Moeen (*pictured training, left*) said: "I believe we are a very good white-ball team.

"White-ball players from England have been coming (here for the Pakistan Super League).

"Phil Salt is a fantastic player, Will Jacks and Harry Brook have done well in the PSL too.

"These guys are very, very good players, I wouldn't say they're second string."

## GOLF

# BIG MAC 'N' PRIZE

## Ryder Cup hopeful Rob is so at home in Rome

■ by DARREN WITCOOP

**SCOTLAND'S Robert MacIntyre beat US Open champion Matt Fitzpatrick in a play-off to win the Italian Open – and boost his hopes of grabbing a Ryder Cup place.**

He birdied the first extra hole at Marco Simone Golf and Country Club in Rome, the venue for next year's Ryder Cup, after he and Fitzpatrick had finished tied on 14-under par – a shot ahead of France's Victor Perez.

Pre-tournament favourite Rory McIlroy, within a shot of the lead until hitting his tee shot on the 16th into the water, finished fourth on 12 under.

"This means everything," said MacIntyre. "I was down and out two or three months ago – I didn't know what I was doing, didn't know where to go.

"But we spoke to the right people, started working with (coach) Simon Shanks and I've hit two of the perfect golf shots into the last there. There's so much hard work gone into this.

"I hit a terrible shot on 15 which I thought was backs against the wall but I've got a dogged attitude and never give up. I get punched but I punch back.

"The birdies coming in were massive and thankfully I got one in the play-off."

Speaking about next year's Ryder Cup after winning the second qualifying event, the left-hander added: "It's my main goal, it's my only goal for the next year. I've done it on the golf course.

"At the start of the week I didn't think

■ ROB JOY: MacIntyre celebrates and (*inset*) embraces Fitzpatrick at the end



this week was going to be the one with the style of golf course, the way it was playing, but we worked on a few things on Tuesday and Wednesday and I felt so in control of my golf ball this week."

MacIntyre began the final round three shots off Fitzpatrick's lead, but stormed to the top of the leaderboard with six birdies in a front nine of 29. A

bogey on the 10th briefly halted MacIntyre's charge before he birdied the 12th and 13th.

**At that point he was three clear of Fitzpatrick, who had followed 10 straight pars with a birdie on the 11th.**

However, Fitzpatrick then came agonisingly close to an albatross on the par-five 12th as his approach from 212 yards

hit the centre of the pin and left him just three feet for eagle, while MacIntyre was dropping a shot on the 14th.

MacIntyre also bogeyed the 15th but birdied the 16th and 18th to set the clubhouse target, with Fitzpatrick also making a birdie on the final hole to force the play-off after dropping a shot on the 17th.



HOTSHOT: Nuchaturt

## Robbo's happy to mix it up

■ by HECTOR NUNNS

NEIL ROBERTSON is delighted to be paired with reigning female world champion Mink Nuchaturt for this week's World Mixed Doubles.

The Thai sensation won the women's blue-riband tournament earlier this year, earning her a place on the main tour.

And she won her first match as a professional last month – beating Mitchell Mann in the qualifiers for the Northern Ireland Open.

World No.4

Robertson

(*right*)

and

Mink

take on

Ronnie

O'Sullivan

and Reanne

Evans, Mark Selby and

Rebecca Kenna and Judd

Trump and Ng On Yee in

Milton Keynes.

The Aussie said: "Of course I saw that Mink beat Mitchell Mann last month – and he is decent.

"I have been following her results even more closely since we were paired together.

"I follow the women's results anyway, I am always interested to see how they are going on tour, and also the overseas players, as I have had the same challenges.

"A lot of people saw the YouTube video of her making a 147 a couple of years ago. And it is going to be a really interesting and exciting event.

"The pairings are pretty evenly matches. We are all competitors and want to win it. It will be deadly serious."





# BOXING



SMASHER:  
Alvarez lands a  
blow on Golovkin

## KING CAN Alvarez secures one Gol and targets another

**CANELO ALVAREZ** has his sights set on avenging his defeat to Dmitry Bivol after he finally settled his rivalry with Gennady Golovkin.

The Mexican superstar solidified his undisputed super-middleweight supremacy with a unanimous points win over his Kazakh foe in Las Vegas.

Canelo, 32, has lost only twice in his career – the first against Floyd Mayweather Jr in 2013 and the latest against Russian Bivol (inset) in May.

Alvarez may need surgery on a hand injury but he now intends to return to light-heavyweight to trigger a rematch with the WBA champion.

He said: "Of course, everybody knows [that's the fight]. We'll see what happens in that fight."

"It's very important for my legacy, for me, for my pride, for my country, for my family, for everything. It's important and I will beat him. I need rest. I need to

by **CHRIS McKENNA**

come back and get strength back in my hand, recover my hand and get strength back in my body so I can come back stronger than ever."

There were doubts about the outcomes of the first two meetings of these warriors in 2017 and 2018.

Golovkin clearly won the first but it was judged a draw, while the second was close with Canelo getting the nod.

But with Golovkin now 40, he looked a shadow of the man who delivered those two epic battles.

In contrast, the third instalment was largely forgettable. Golovkin started slowly and the Mexican was able to tee off on him.

But Canelo lacked zip and pace when the fight was there for him to get the stoppage he craved against the Kazakhstan star.

He was still in control and even when Golovkin did have some success in the

later rounds, there was no risk Alvarez would fall to back-to-back defeats.

The only surprise was the closeness of the scorecards, with two of the three judges only giving the bout 115-113 to Canelo, which meant if they favoured Golovkin in one more round, it would have been a draw.

*The other scorecard of 116-112 was closer to conveying the one-sided nature of the disappointing duel.*

But at least the pair appeared to settle what had turned into a nasty and bitter rivalry.

"I've always said that I did not feel any animosity in this rivalry – he was the one who said it was personal," said Golovkin, who vowed to fight on after his second career loss.

"After the fight when we looked at each other in the eye, we had no claims on each other anymore. We said, 'Great fight' and we moved on."

"At this level this sport is dangerous and we were content with how this fight played out and how our rivalry ended."



CROWNING GLORY: Canelo Alvarez is still the man to beat

## Diamond despairs

by **DARREN WITCOOP**

WORCESTER director of rugby Steve Diamond admitted, following his side's battling defeat to Exeter, that the future of the crisis-hit club remains in serious doubt.

The Warriors met Friday's deadline to be allowed to fulfil yesterday's Premiership fixture, with debts spiralling as high as £25m and many players and staff yet to receive their full August salaries.

Diamond said after the 36-21 defeat to Exeter at Sixways: "I don't know how long we can keep going with this."

"There are limits to how many times players or staff can turn out on goodwill."

"We are hoping to fulfil the fixture with Gloucester on Wednesday."

"I'm hoping the money we've taken today can be used and not disappear down a black hole."

"With the winding-up application due in late September, a line has to be drawn somewhere."

## STAR SHORTS

### Iceman's hot stuff

by **DARTS**

GERWYN PRICE held his nerve in front of a hostile Amsterdam crowd to land his second World Series of Darts crown.

The world No.1 pipped home favourite Dirk van Duijvenbode 11-10 in a thrilling final.

"The Iceman" sealed the £70,000 winner's cheque and said: "I was rubbish for three or four months, but I'm coming back to my best now."

### Yasmin a show off

by **EVENTING**

BRITAIN'S Yasmin Ingham became world individual eventing champion after a stunning performance in Pratoni, Italy.

"It is a dream come true," said Ingham after a clear round in the showjumping aboard Banzai du Loir secured gold ahead of Germany's reigning Olympic champion Julia Krajewski and New Zealander Tim Price.

## ANSWERS

YOUR TURN

Wolves v Man City: Kevin De Bruyne; Newcastle v Bournemouth: Steve Cook; Spurs v Leicester: Harry Kane; Brentford v Arsenal: Christian Norgaard; Everton v West Ham: 24 goals.

FIVE FOR FUN

1 Carlo Ancelotti, 2 Emanuele Pirro, 3 Kagiso Rabada, 4 Dubai Mile, 5 Fouad Yahia.

**NO STOPPING ME:**  
The referee makes Sandhagen's win official

## CORY PROVES HE'S A CUT ABOVE AGAIN

by **GARY HITCHCOCK**

CORY SANDHAGEN reaffirmed his bantamweight title credentials at UFC Vegas 60 yesterday.

The No.4-ranked star had suffered back-to-back losses but won via fourth-round doctor stoppage against Song Yadong (inset right) at the Apex in Sin City.

Sandhagen busted open the rising Chinese prospect just above his left eye early in the fight with a vicious elbow and despite the efforts of his

cutman between rounds, the ringside doctor eventually said enough was enough.

At the time of the stoppage, Sandhagen led 39-37 on one scorecard, with the other two judges having it even at 38-38.

Coloradan Sandhagen said: "Losing three times would have sucked, so thank God I got the win and a TKO. It was a

good fight, maybe not a perfect fight, but it was a step in the right direction for me against a mega-tough guy."

"I really wanted a fifth round with him because I thought it was really close and I like seeing who I am in the fifth round."

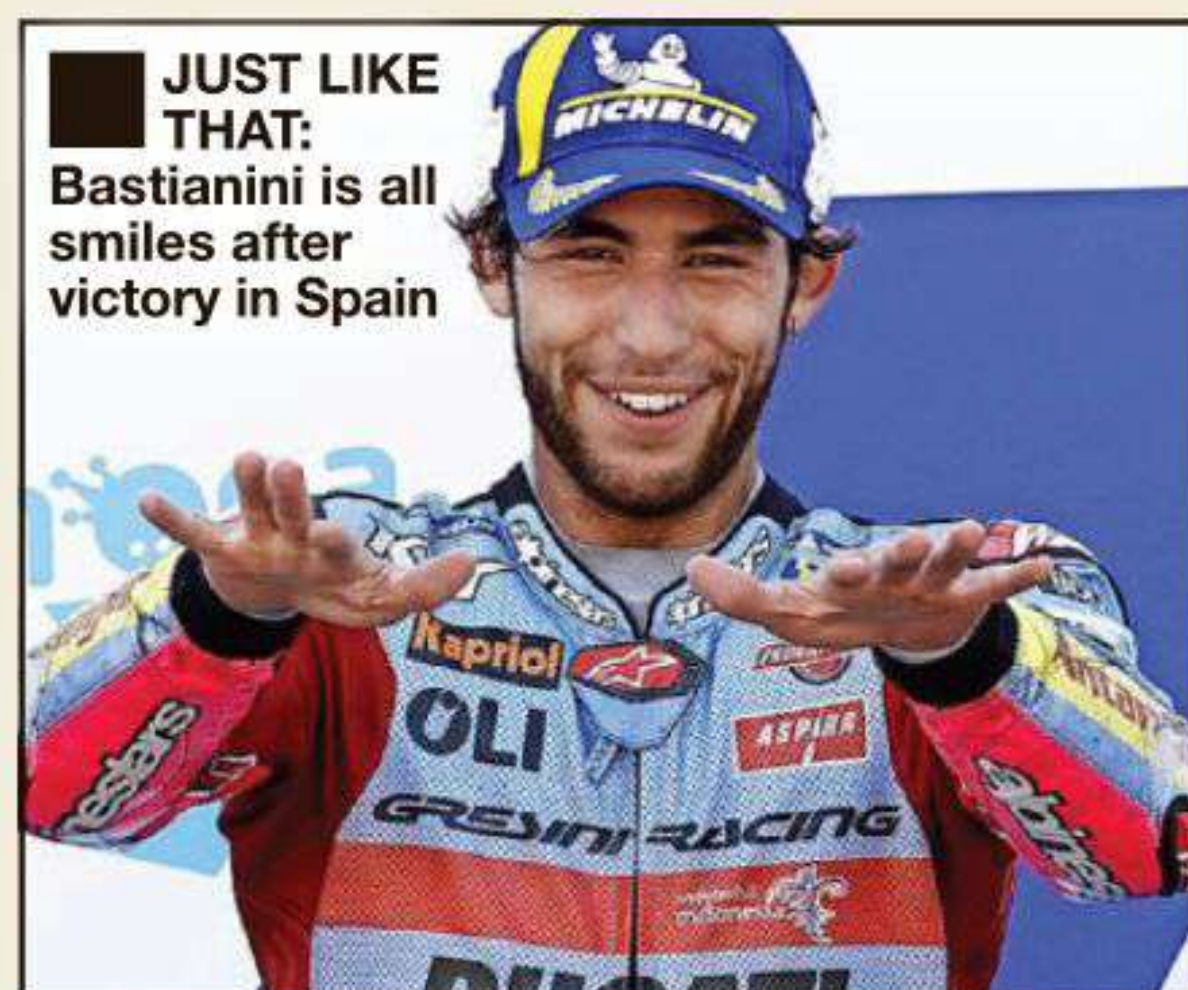
"I like discovering who I am in the hardest

positions and I didn't really get to do that."

"I knew if I kickboxed Song it would be a really close fight and it was."

"I think Song was the perfect opponent for me to test out the new things I was trying, but I am going to go back to the lab and get better and adjust."





**JUST LIKE THAT:**  
Bastianini is all smiles after victory in Spain

## BAST SAVES HIS BEST FOR LAST

ENEASTASTIANINI beat Pecco Bagnaia to win the MotoGP in Spain as points leader Fabio Quartararo tangled with Marc Marquez to blow the championship wide open.

Gresini Racing's Bastianini pipped his fellow Italian to the flag by just 0.042sec at Aragon after a slick last-lap move up the inside at turn seven, taking the win and helping Ducati clinch the constructors' title with five rounds still to go.

Bagnaia led into turn one as Bastianini, who had dropped to fourth, fought his way back up the order before hitting the front on lap eight.

But it lasted less than a lap as he ran wide, allowing Bagnaia back through and forcing him to chase to the final lap when he made his move, beating Bagnaia to the win with Aprilia's Aleix Espargaro third.

"I'm really happy to be back on the top step of the podium, it was a really good race," said

■ **by ZOE BURN**

Bastianini. "At the start, I made some contact with Aleix and lost some positions but in the end I pushed really hard to recover the gap to Pecco.

"In the last lap I was really close to him and I made the overtake and won this race.

"It is an amazing dream."

Reigning champion Quartararo watched his advantage over Bagnaia plummet from 30 points to 10 after clashing with Marquez on lap one.

Marquez, who had shot up from 13th to sixth at the start of his comeback race, had a moment coming out of turn three and with nowhere to go, Quartararo hit him from behind, crashing out.

With Yamaha bodywork now caught in the back of Marquez's Repsol Honda, he had a rear lock up moments later and was hit by LCR Honda's Takaaki Nakagami, who crashed out and forced Marquez to retire from the race.

## Bronze race will be buddy close

GREAT BRITAIN speedway pals Robert Lambert and Dan Bewley face a three-rider shoot-out for World Championship bronze.

They will have to forget about their friendship with a place on the podium at stake in the campaign-ending Polish GP at Torun on October 1.

Lambert has leapfrogged Bewley in their personal battle to become only the third Briton to win a medal since the series began in 1995.

After Saturday's Swedish GP, Patryk Dudek leads the bronze race with 100 points, Lambert has 97 and Bewley is a further four back. Lambert (*inset*) said: "Today's a new day with new goals going to

■ **by PETER OAKES**

Torun to get the bronze!" Tai Woffinden reached his second final of the year but finished last and now faces a fight to climb into the top six so that he doesn't have to rely on a wild card next year.

After sealing the world crown in Malilla, Poland's Bartosz Zmarzlik said: "I have

been in the GP for seven years and

I have made it six medals and three times it has been gold."

Bewley made up for his GP

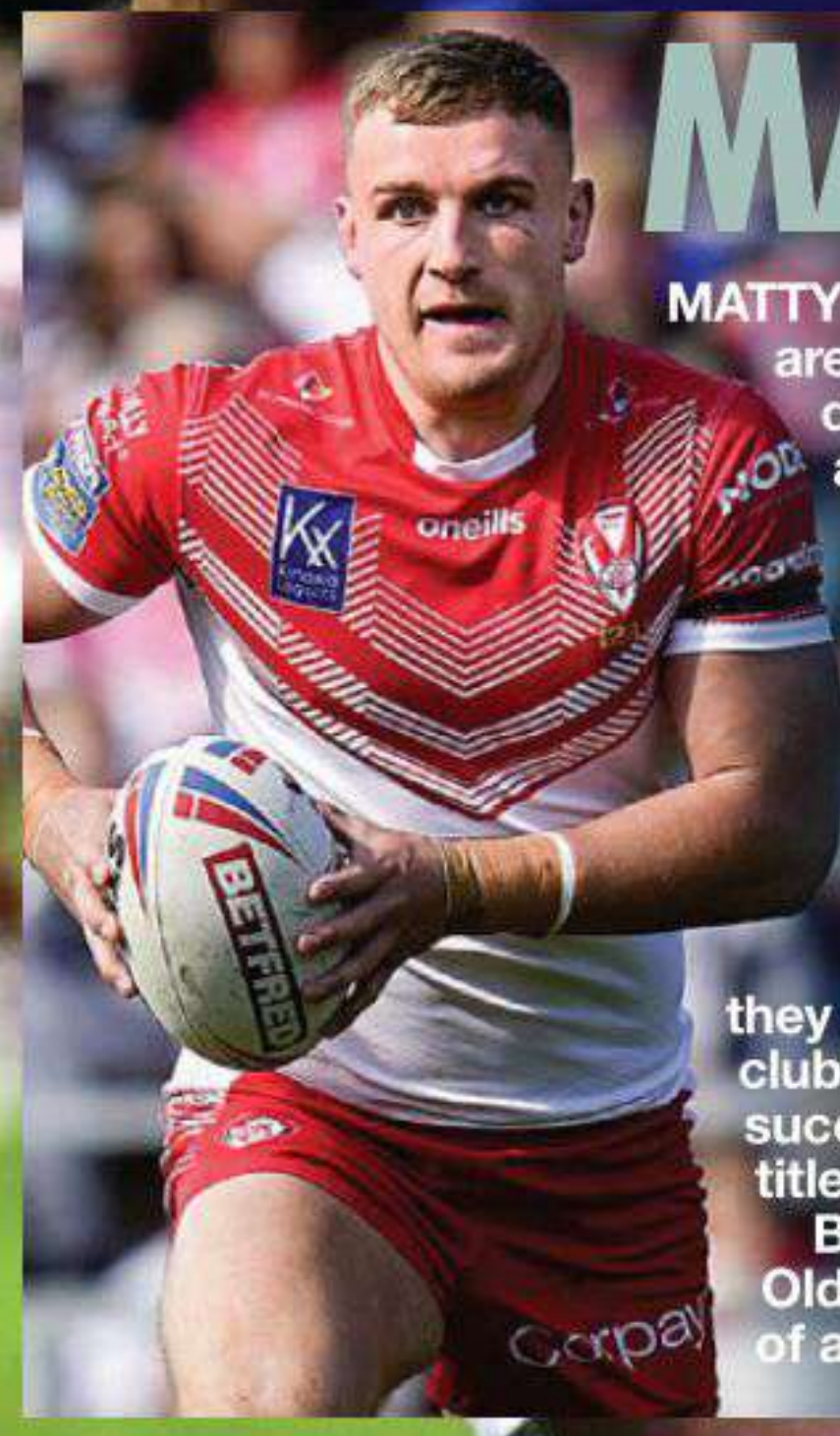
disappointment by winning his first British Championship in Manchester, topping the qualifiers with a 15-point maximum and then beating Tom Brennan, Craig Cook and Danny King in the Grand Final.



# RUGBY LEAGUE: COUNTDOWN TO

# MOMENT

**SHOUT TO IMPRESS:**  
Leeds' stars celebrate semi-final win over Wigan



## MATTY DOUBT TO IMPRESS

MATTY LEES says St Helens are ready to prove the doubters wrong again and make history.

The England prop (*left*) helped the champions edge past Salford 19-12 to set up another Grand Final appearance against Leeds on Saturday.

If Saints prosper, they will become the first club to win four successive Super League titles.

But they have reached Old Trafford on the back of a crippling injury list.

■ **by DAVE CRAVEN**

England centre Mark Percival made his return after four months out on Saturday and Sione Mata'utia also enjoyed a successful comeback.

Lees said: "It's been a tough year for all of us with injury.

"We speak about injuries and we've probably been hit the worst throughout the year but we've managed to cope and get on with it.

"And it's special to get to another Grand Final. It's making history at the end of the day and I think it'll really put us on the top spot.

"If we do beat Leeds, it'll knock everyone off who's really

doubted us. There's a lot of people who really want to be where we're at and we're protecting that throughout the year. It should be a good one next week."

Joe Batchelor (two) and Jon Bennison scored tries as the defending champions battled past Salford, who lost hooker Andy Ackers to a failed HIA in the opening exchanges.

Saints saw two players sin-binned, Morgan Knowles who will fear being banned for a 'chicken wing' tackle, and Tommy Makinson, who was lucky to not concede a penalty try when blocking Tim Lafai in the 75th minute.



# THE GRAND FINAL

ST HELENS v LEEDS  
SATURDAY, 6PM, OLD TRAFFORD



# OF STRENGTH

## Aussie Rohan ready to cap Rhino's incredible charge to trophy decider

**ROHAN SMITH** felt he had unfinished business in the UK – and Leeds' Super League Grand Final ride is just the start of him sorting it out.

Rhinos face champions St Helens in Saturday's showpiece after a remarkable run.

They were in 11th spot at Easter but, after Aussie Smith arrived in May, the club turned things around to sneak into fifth.

Leeds have then won on the road at Catalans and Wigan to reach Old Trafford and look a different side to the one that was on its knees just four months ago.

Many Rhinos fans were non-plussed by the little-known Smith's appointment – given he had never held a top-flight head coach's role – but his impact has been huge in his second stab over here.

Smith's first gig in the UK was with Bradford in 2016, before he headed home the following year when the troubled Championship club entered liquidation.

Looking back, he said: "I do feel like I had unfinished business.

"When we came to Bradford we packed up and came with the intention of no plan to go home in any sort of time frame.

"That went bad pretty quickly through no fault of probably any one individual.

*"But even in 2017, not long after I'd gone home, I was always keeping an eye out for opportunities back in the UK.*

"I love the passion and the desire that people have for their club. It's much deeper and wider than it is over in Australia. It's just not the same.

"What I've always loved about sport is being part of something with other people and the

■ by DAVE CRAVEN

influence it can have on the community and next generation. It's special here and things have started to line-up for us. It's exciting going into Saturday."

But Leeds face Saints, who are bidding for a record-breaking fourth straight Grand Final win, without playmaker Aidan Sezer (*inset*).

The Australian scrum-half came off in Friday's semi-final win at Wigan following a high tackle from John Bateman that saw the England second-row red carded.

Leeds had hoped he would be cleared to play.

*But Smith said: "Our doctor has been in conversation with the Super League chief medical officer and Aidan unfortunately won't be available.*

"I believe the Category One symptoms are the determining factor in terms of returning to play, whether that be in the game or the following week.

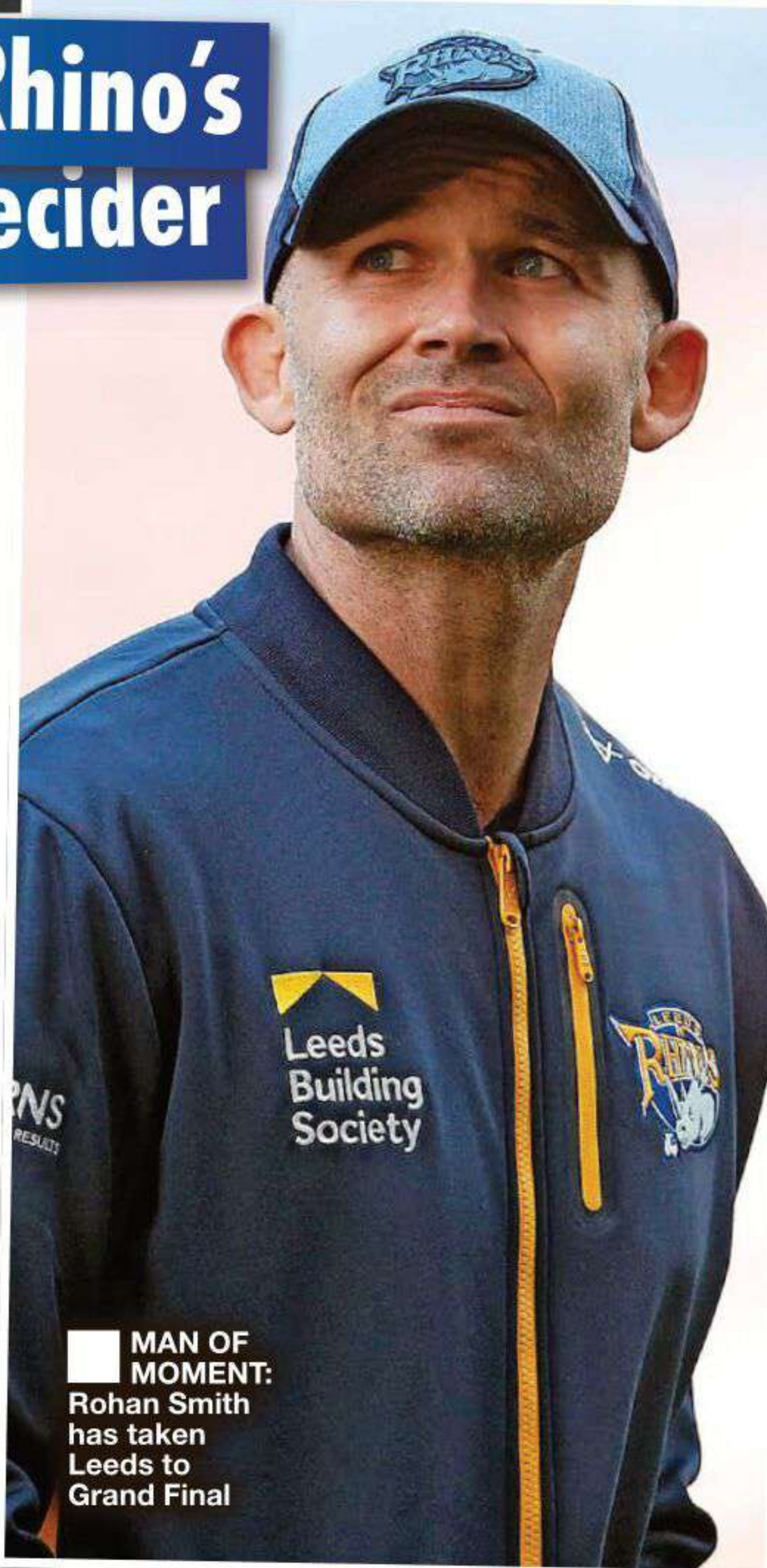
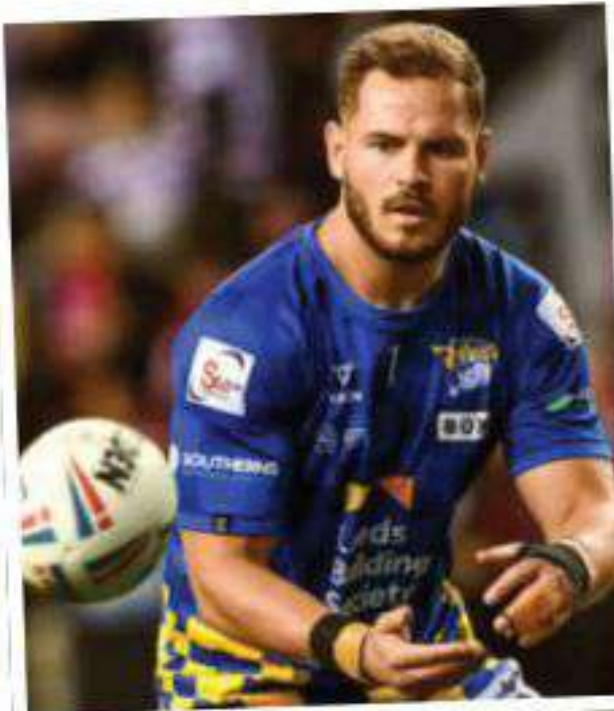
"He's shattered. He's clearly disappointed to be missing out but such are the protocols that are in place to take care of the welfare of our players long term."

Asked if it was galling considering the concussion came from foul play, Smith said: "It's a part of the game unfortunately.

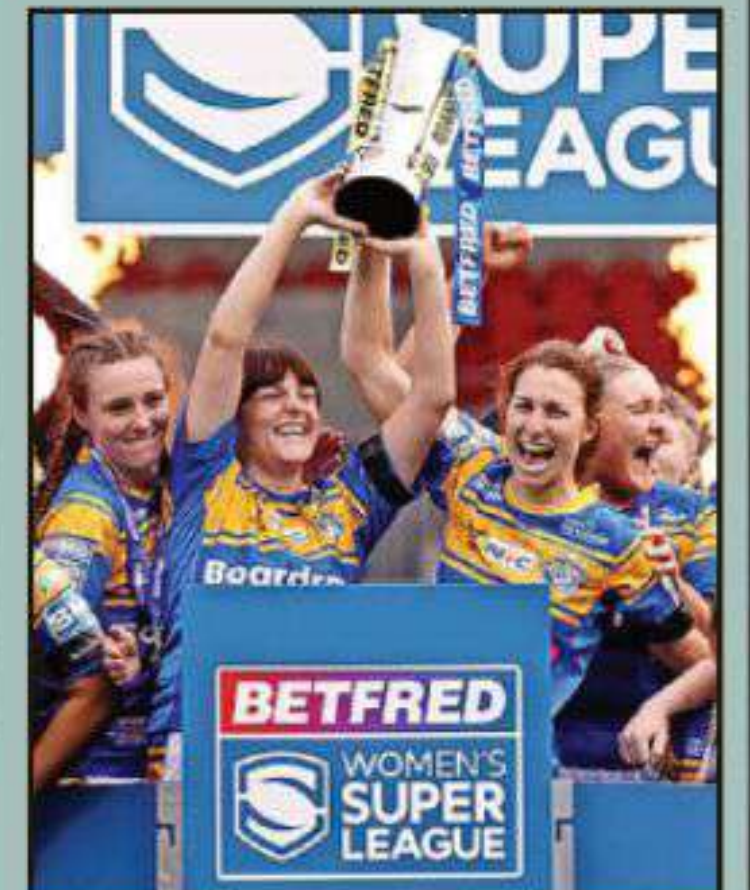
"Sometimes people will wear the consequences of accidents. I know those guys played together at Canberra, so I'm sure there's nothing untoward.

"It's tough, but it's one of those things."

Leeds will also be without second-row Morgan Gannon due to concussion, while star centre Harry Newman is out with an ongoing hamstring issue which has also ended his World Cup hopes with England.



**MAN OF THE MOMENT:**  
Rohan Smith has taken Leeds to Grand Final



## Hats off to eager Beevers

■ by DAVE CRAVEN

YORK	4
LEEDS	12

**TWO-TRY** Caitlin Beevers hailed Leeds Rhinos' "togetherness" as they defeated York City Knights in the Women's Super League Grand Final.

Rhinos, who lost last year's decider against St Helens, won a tight encounter at Totally Wicked Stadium.

England centre Beevers scored a try in each half, with Courtney Winfield-Hill slotting two conversions.

York could not get off the mark until Sinead Peach dummied her way over in the 57th minute.

But too many errors cost the league leaders in the club's first Grand Final. Beevers came up with some big defensive efforts as well to take the player-of-the-match award.

Rhinos forward Shannon Lacey was stretched off with a serious leg injury early in the second half but her side battled through to be crowned champions.

Beevers said: "There's no doubt York are a really tough side.

"They definitely put us through our paces and it was a phenomenal game for women's rugby league.

"Since they beat us earlier in the season, we've been really looking in depth at what they do on the field and we've worked really hard on this game.

"We've found a real togetherness in the team and I don't think any side could match that so I'm very proud of the girls today."

York coach Lindsay Anfield said: "We made some bad decisions and there was a little bit of poor execution.

"But credit to Leeds. They came out all guns blazing and have been fantastic all season. We'll learn from it and come back better next year."

**ON THE BALL:**  
James Bentley scores try as Rhinos hit back to stun Wigan





## Philips still has World Cup shot

PEP GUARDIOLA insists Calvin Phillips can still make the World Cup – even though the Manchester City midfielder faces shoulder surgery.

Phillips (*inset*) was not in City's squad for Saturday's 3-0 victory at Wolves, despite a late substitute appearance against Borussia Dortmund last Wednesday.

Boss Guardiola said: "He has a problem with the shoulder again and maybe needs surgery in the next few days.

"I am not a doctor but in a good way he can arrive of course at the World Cup.

"The doctors say the only solution is to have surgery."

■ **by JAMES NURSEY**  
Since his £45m summer move from Leeds, Phillips has made only three sub appearances, totalling 14 minutes.

Asked if this setback was frustrating, Guardiola added: "Absolutely – for us as well.

"We need him because Rodri cannot play all the games.

Kalvin came to fight for that position and sometimes you need two holding mid-fielders in some games.

"I think it will be a bit longer because I think he needs it (surgery)."

**Report: See pullout**



## JONES TOPS LIST

■ **by ROB COLE**

NATHAN JONES, the man who led Luton into the Championship play-offs last season, is favourite to take over from Steve Morison at Cardiff.

Morison yesterday became the latest boss to lose his job in the Welsh capital following Saturday's 1-0 defeat at Huddersfield.

Jones has already left Luton once to try his hand at Stoke, but quickly returned and has now spent five years at Kenilworth Road.

Another Welshman, Tony Pulis, is also in the running, according to the bookies, along with former Burnley boss Sean Dyche.

Morison's assistant Mark Hudson will be caretaker, with the help of Tom Ramasut.

Four of the last seven Cardiff managers have failed to get to 50 games in the past eight years as owner Vincent Tan and chairman Mehmet Dalman continually wield the axe.

## Toon in to Isak orders Trippier

KIERAN TRIPPIER has told Newcastle to find Alexander Isak's strengths.

The club record £60m signing had a quiet game but netted the penalty equaliser in Saturday's 1-1 draw with Bournemouth to take his tally to two goals since his move from Real Sociedad.

Isak (*inset*) has not yet lived up to his billing but Toon defender Trippier, who faced him in La Liga while at Atletico Madrid, said: "He's slotted in straight away and in training and games it's like he's been here for ages.

"But it's more about

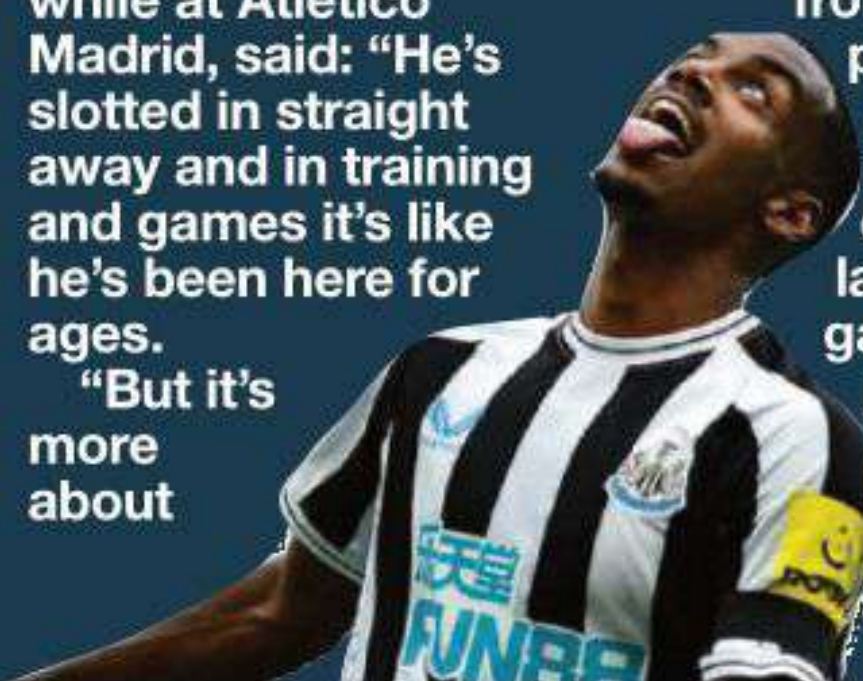
■ **by SIMON BIRD**  
developing as a team and finding his strengths.

"Everyone has seen what he's all about. When Allan Saint-Maximin and Callum Wilson come back, we'll be an even bigger threat.

"We've got an all-round striker at such a young age. He'll keep growing and will keep scoring goals for us.

"But we need goals from all over the pitch. We've created so many chances the last couple of games. We just need to start putting them in."

**Report: See pullout**



## SERIOUSLY football PREMIER LEAGUE



**PROMISING SIGN:**  
Neal Maupay cracks in the winner and then (*right*) celebrates

# MAUPAY AS YOU GROW

## Toffees ace blasts back in style after sticky patch



**FRANK LAMPARD** wrapped his arms around match-winner Neal Maupay at the final whistle.

It was a long embrace for the man who finally got Everton's first win of the season with a moment of class in a game otherwise lacking such high quality.

Not that the Toffees will care about how entertaining the game was.

They have had the performances this season, but missed out on the wins. Finally they got the latter at the seventh attempt.

Progress in performances do not move you up the table. Points do. They are going in the right direction on both fronts now.

West Ham could do with some of

■ **by CHRIS McKENNA**



both. This was the fifth Premier League defeat of the season so far for David Moyes' side.

More worryingly, it is 11 from the last 18 league games they have lost, stretching back into last season.

That suggests there is more wrong than just summer signings not yet settling in for the Hammers.

The Toffees' four draws in a row before this had lifted the mood on the blue half of Merseyside a little.

But boss Lampard knows he will not be judged on performances alone. This is a results business.

Going into the international break without a victory would leave some worry. However, that was removed here.

The lack of Dominic Calvert-Lewin in the squad will have sparked concern as the Toffees still await their star striker to return.

**But Maupay, a £15m signing from Brighton, stepped up to show that he can fill in for him.**

There were rightly questions when Everton turned to the French forward in the summer as they scoured the market for a goalscorer.

Maupay had not been prolific in a Brighton side which created chances





## STARFACTS

**EVERTON (4-3-3):** Begovic 7; Patterson 7, Coady 7, Tarkowski 7, Mykolenko 7; GUEYE 8, Onana 6, Iwobi 7; Gray 7 (Doucoure 81), Maupay 7 (Rondon 89), Gordon 5 (McNeil 74).

**Subs:** Jakupovic, Keane, Coleman, Davies, Vinagre, Garner.

**UP NEXT:** Southampton (a), Premier League, Saturday October 1.

**WEST HAM (4-2-3-1):** Fabinho 6; Coufal 6, Zouma 6, Kehrer 5, Cresswell 6 (Emerson 90); Soucek 6, Rice 5; Bowen 7, Paqueta 5 (Benrahma 61, 6), Fornals 6 (Cornet 61, 6); Antonio 5 (Scamacca 70, 6). **Subs:** Areola, Lanzini, Downes, Dawson, Ogborna.

**UP NEXT:** Wolves (h), Premier League, Saturday October 1.

**REFEREE:** Michael Oliver 6.

**YOUR TURN:** How many goals did Everton boss Frank Lampard score in 148 league games for West Ham from 1995-2001 - 14, 24 or 34?

**UNLUCKY:** Said Benrahma hits the post for West Ham



**MAX EFFORT:** Cornet tries to grab equaliser



**JUMPERS AND GOALPOSTS:** Anthony Gordon of Everton competes with Aaron Cresswell



## MOYES 'LET DOWN' BY HAMMERS

**From Back Page**  
on Thursday night, so you have to take that into consideration as well and we are trying to put new players in, get the best out of them and find out a bit about them.

"But today I found out little bits, mainly about the players I already knew about.

"They were the players in the main who let me down today with play overall.

"The players who played last year are down on their level as well.

"We have got a good enough team but we need to start showing it, that's for sure."

West Ham have brought in eight new signings this summer at a cost of about £140m.

But Moyes admits he spotted they needed to strengthen last February, which adds to the worrying stat they have lost 11 of their last 18 league games, stretching back into the previous campaign.

He said: "I recognised back in February time that we weren't quite as strong.

"We chose not to bring anyone in back in January and I could see it.

"I'm the one who takes the responsibility and I've got to get those players back at that level quickly - and hopefully we will do that."

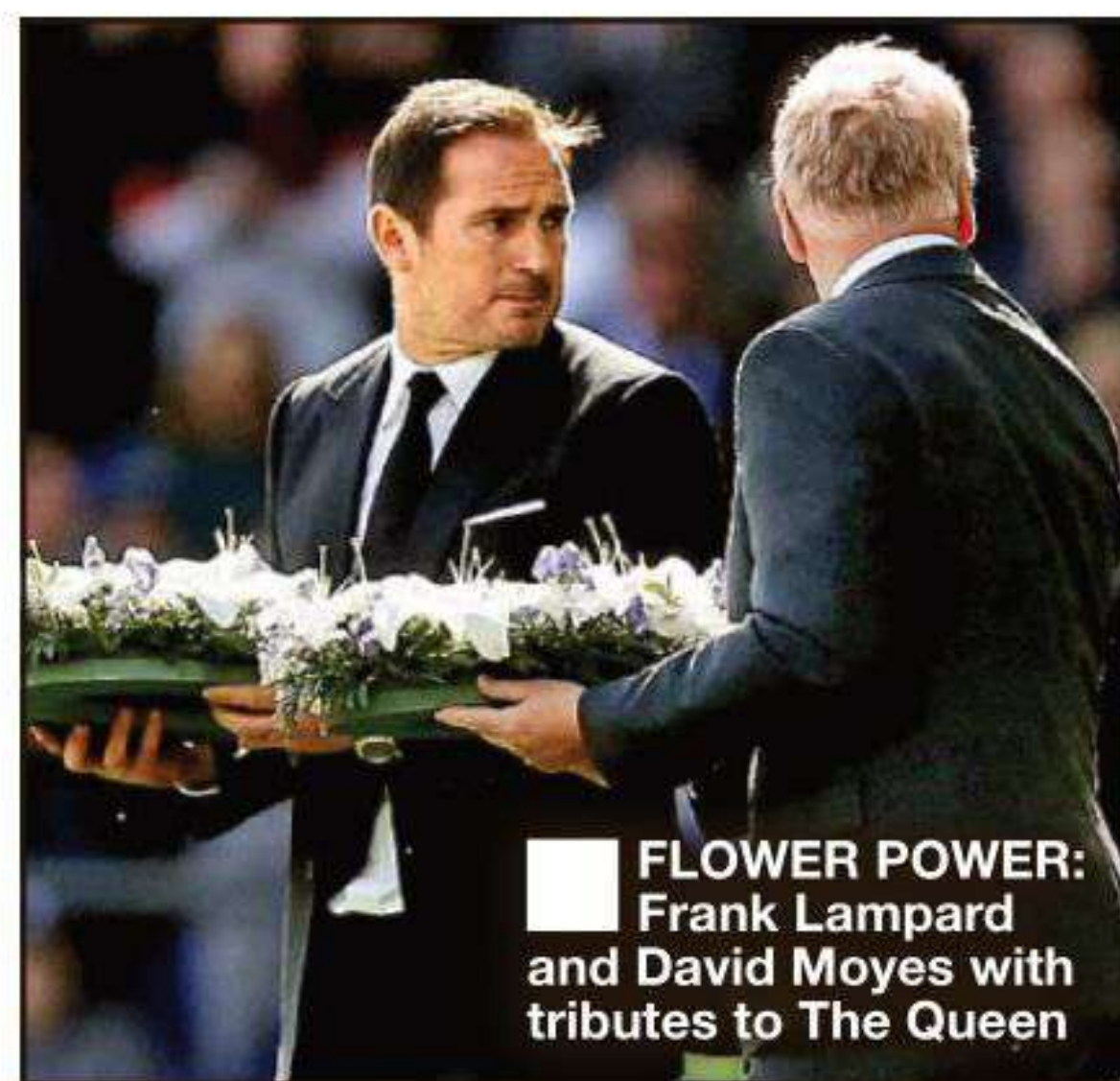
Maupay's second-half strike secured Everton's first win of the season and also ended a goalless run for the Toffees' £15m summer signing which stretched back to February.

The former Brighton forward (inset above with Lampard) said: "I wouldn't say I feel under pressure (to score). I know my job, I have to score.

"That's why they brought me in. I'm here to help. I trust my team-mates to put me in the right position to score."



**FLOWER POWER:** Frank Lampard and David Moyes with tributes to The Queen



## INFORMATION STATION

### CRICKET

#### WOMEN'S FIRST ONE DAY

**INT'NAL—England v India (Hove):** England 227-7 (50.0 overs; A N Davidson-Richards 50no), India 232-3 (44.2 overs; S S Mandhana 91, H Kaur 74no, Y H Bhatia 50).

India beat England by 7 wickets.

**ROYAL LONDON ONE-DAY CUP - FINAL—Kent v Lancashire (Trent Bridge):** Kent 306-6 (50.0 overs; J D M Evison 97, J L Denly 78). Lancashire 285 (48.4 overs; S J Croft 72, K K Jennings 72). Kent (6pts) beat Lancashire (4pts) by 21 runs.

### GOLF

**DP WORLD TOUR (Rome)—Final rnd (Gbr & Irl unless stated):** 270 R MacIntyre 70 69 67 64 (won at first play-off hole), M Fitzpatrick 65 69 69 67, 271 V Perez (Fra) 70 66 69 66, 272 R McIlroy (Nlrl) 67 66 71 68, 273 A Rai 69 70 65 69, L Herbert (Aus) 70 67 68 68, 274 K Kitayama (USA) 71 67 67 69.

**FORTINET CHAMPIONSHIP (Napa, California)—3rd rnd (USA unless stated):** 203 J Lower 63 71 69, 204 M Homa 65 67 72, D Willett (Eng) 68 64 72, 205 Byeong-Hun An (Kor) 66 68 71, 206 P Haley II 73 67 66, M Kuchar 68 68 70, A Svensson (Can) 68 71 67, D Thompson 68 73 65.

**LACOSTE LADIES OPEN (Deauville, France)—Final rnd (Gbr & Irl unless stated):** 199 I Lakilech (Mor) 65 66 68 (won on extra play-off hole), M MacLaren 65 67 67, 202 D Dagar (Ind) 72 66 64, 203 A Meyssonier (Fra) 67 70 66, 204 C Hedwall (Swe) 68 69 67.

### MOTORCYCLING

**MOTOGP GRAND PRIX OF ARAGON (Alcaniz, Spain)—MOTOGP:** 1 E Bastianini (Ita) Ducati 41m 35.462s, 2 F Bagnaia (Ita) Ducati +0.042. **Standings:** 1 F Quartararo (Fra) Yamaha 211pts, 2 F Bagnaia (Ita) Ducati 201. **MOTO2:** 1 P Acosta (Spa) Kalex 39m 35.337s, 2 A Canet (Spa) Kalex +2.612. **Standings:** 1 A Fernandez (Spa) Kalex 214pts, 2 A Ogura (Jpn) Kalex 207. **MOTO3:** 1 I Guevara (Spa) GasGas 37m 29.944s, 2 A Sasaki (Jpn) Husqvarna +0.957. **Standings:** 1 I Guevara (Spa) GasGas 229pts, 2 S Garcia (Spa) GasGas 196.

### RUGBY LEAGUE

#### Betfred Super League

**Semi-final**  
**ST HELENS** ..... 19 **SALFORD** ..... 12  
St Helens—T: Batchelor (2), Bennison. G: Makinson (3). **DR:** Lomax. **Salford—T:** Watkins, Brierley. G: Sneyd (2).

### RUGBY UNION

**The Rugby Ch'ship**  
**ARGENTINA** ..... 20 **SOUTH AFRICA** ..... 36

#### Gallagher Premiership

BATH.....	20	SALE.....	37				
HARLEQUINS.....	27	SARACENS.....	30				
LEICESTER.....	36	NEWCASTLE.....	21				
NORTH'PTON.....	38	LON IRISH.....	22				
WASPS.....	8	BRISTOL.....	23				
WORCESTER.....	21	EXETER.....	36				
	P	W	D				
	L	B	F				
	A	P	ts				
Sale.....	2	2	0	2	66	42	10
Exeter.....	2	2	0	0	1	60	41
Bristol.....	2	2	0	0	1	54	37
Leicester.....	2	1	0	1	2	56	45
North'pton.....	2	1	0	1	2	60	51
Harlequins.....	2	1	0	1	2	67	61
Lon Irish.....	2	1	0	1	1	67	52
Gloucester.....	1	1	0	0	1	27	21
Saracens.....	1	1	0	0	1	30	27
Bath.....	2	0	0	2	1	49	68
Wasps.....	2	0	0	2	1	29	50
Newcastle.....	2	0	0	2	1	52	76
Worcester.....	2	0	0	2	0	35	81

#### United Rugby Championship

EDINBURGH .....	44	DRAGONS.....	6					
LIONS .....	15	BLUE BULLS .....	31					
SCARLETS .....	23	OSPREYS .....	23					
ULSTER .....	36	CONNACHT .....	10					
ZEBRE .....	29	LEINSTER .....	33					
CARDIFF RUGBY .....	20	MUNSTER .....	13					
P W D L B F A Pts								
Ulster .....	1	1	0	0	1	36	10	5
Leinster .....	1	1	0	0	1	33	29	5
Munster .....	1	0	0	1	1	13	20	1
Connacht .....	1	0	0	1	0	10	36	0
P W D L B F A Pts								
Cardiff R .....	1	1	0	0	0	20	13	4
Ospreys .....	1	0	1	0	0	23	23	2
Scarlets .....	1	0	1	0	0	23	23	2
Dragons .....	1	0	0	1	0	6	44	0
P W D L B F A Pts								
Blue Bulls.....	1	1	0	0	0	31	15	4
Sharks .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stormers .....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lions .....	1	0	0	1	0	15	31	0
P W D L B F A Pts								
Edinburgh .....	1	1	0	0	1	44	6	5
Benetton T .....	1	1	0	0	1	33	11	5
Zebre .....	1	0	0	1	2	29	33	2
Glasgow .....	1	0	0	1	0	11	33	0

### TENNIS

**DAVIS CUP FINALS — Group A:** Croatia bt Serbia 3-0. **Group B:** Serbia bt Canada 2-1. **Group C:** France bt Belgium 2-1. **Group D:** Netherlands bt United States 2-1. **WTA CHENNAI OPEN (India)—Final:** L Fruhvirtova (Cze) bt (3) M Linette (Pol) 4-6 6-3 6-4.

## TODAY'S DIARY

### TENNIS

**ATP San Diego Open (California).** **WTA Hana Bank Korea Open (Seoul).** **WTA Toray Pan Pacific Open (Tokyo, Japan).** **ATP Moselle Open (Metz, France).**

aplenty. So why was there confidence at Goodison Park that he could become ruthless for a team which is less creative in the final third?

This does not end the debate on him, but it is one in the side of the argument that he can get goals regularly.

His strike lit up a game which lacked intensity.

Alex Iwobi played the ball into Maupay and he cushioned it in such a way that he could swivel away from Thilo Kehrer.

His finish was impressive, certainly for a man who had been without a goal since

February to end a career-worst 12-game run of blanks.

But if he was ever going to end a drought in front of goal, then it was against the Hammers.

He's now scored on his last three Premier League starts against them.

The winner came in the 53rd minute after a forgettable first half.

West Ham and Moyes are now left to stew about their horror start over the international break, with the club sitting in the bottom three.

Jarrod Bowen tried his best to conjure something. Substitute Said Benrahma cracked

the inside of the post with Everton keeper Asmir Begovic, in for the injured Jordan Pickford, only able to watch it pass by.

Begovic tipped a Maxwell Cornet shot over before the West Ham winger ran the ball out of play as he tried to round the keeper later on.

*The Hammers failed to get a grip of the game. Declan Rice (far left) was simply outshone in midfield by Everton's Idrissa Gueye.*

They have only beat Aston Villa so far in the league this season and they have scored just three league goals.

New recruits have not hit the ground running but, as ex-Everton boss Moyes said after, those who were here before the summer have also dropped below their best.

## STAR PLAYER

**IDRISSA GUEYE**  
Bossed the midfield

## STAR SHOCKER

**LUCAS PAQUETA**  
Rarely got involved

## MATCH RATING







## THRILLED: Tony Bloom De Zerbi at Albion

**From Back Page**  
with Palermo and Benevento, but he made his name during three years at Italian side Sassuolo.

He led them to consecutive eighth-place finishes in Serie A, before accepting an offer to join Shakhtar Donetsk. He left in July due to the war after winning the Ukrainian Super Cup.

De Zerbi was Brighton's first choice to replace Potter, who jumped ship to Chelsea this month following the Blues' shock decision to sack Thomas Tuchel.

De Zerbi will be officially unveiled as Brighton's new manager tomorrow afternoon, with the club delaying the press conference as a mark of respect to The Queen, whose state funeral is at Westminster Abbey this morning.

"I'm absolutely thrilled Roberto has agreed to become our new head coach," said Albion chairman Bloom.

"Roberto's teams play an exciting and courageous brand of football and I'm confident his style and tactical approach will suit our existing squad superbly."

De Zerbi's first game in charge of Brighton will come against Liverpool at Anfield on October 1.

## Bren on way out

**From Back Page**  
expires in 2025. And his severance pay could run into eight figures if chairman Aiyawatt Srivaddhanaprabha decides to pull the plug before Leicester's basement battle with Nottingham Forest on October 3.

Rodgers said: "Whatever their decision is, I will always respect it."

"The owners will do what it is they feel they need to do."

"I'm not daft, I know football, and the last six games don't make great reading, but I have every confidence the team can climb the table."

"I understand the frustrations of supporters and I can't hide from that."

Brentford head coach Thomas Frank and ex-Burnley boss Sean Dyche will be on Leicester's shortlist.

**Match report: Pullout**

# SERIOUSLY football PREMIER LEAGUE

# ARTETA'S SO



### PREMIER LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Arsenal	7	6	0	1	17	7	18
Man City	7	5	2	0	23	6	17
Tottenham	7	5	2	0	18	7	17
Brighton	6	4	1	1	11	5	13
Man Utd	6	4	0	2	8	8	12
Fulham	7	3	2	2	12	11	11
Chelsea	6	3	1	2	8	9	10
Liverpool	6	2	3	1	15	6	9
Brentford	7	2	3	2	15	12	9
Newcastle	7	1	5	1	8	7	8
Leeds	6	2	2	2	10	10	8
Bournemouth	7	2	2	3	6	19	8
Everton	7	1	4	2	5	6	7
Southampton	7	2	1	4	7	11	7
Aston Villa	7	2	1	4	6	10	7
Crystal Palace	6	1	3	2	7	9	6
Wolves	7	1	3	3	3	7	6
West Ham	7	1	1	5	3	9	4
Nottm Forest	7	1	1	5	6	17	4
Leicester	7	0	1	6	10	22	1



**JEE WHIZ:**  
Gabriel Jesus celebrates after his goal flies in (main pic)



**TOP GUNS:**  
William Saliba after his opener and (inset) a happy Mikel Arteta

### STARFACTS

**BRENTFORD (4-3-3):** Raya 5; Hickey 6, Ajer 6, Mee 7, Henry 6; Jansson 6, Janelt 5 (Onyeka 63, 5), Jensen 6 (Baptiste 69, 5); Mbeumo 6 (Wissa 75), Toney 6, Dasilva 5 (Damsgaard 63, 5). **Subs:** Canos, Jorgensen, Ghoddos, Strakosha, Roerslev.

**UP NEXT:** Bournemouth (a), Premier League, Saturday October 1.

**ARSENAL (4-2-3-1):** Ramsdale 6; White 6, Saliba 7, Gabriel 8, Tierney 6 (Tomiyasu 84); PARTEY 9 (Lokonga 78), Xhaka 8; Saka 6 (Marquinhos 90), Vieira 7 (Nwaneri 90), Martinelli 6 (Nketiah 78); Jesus 7. **Subs:** Turner, Holding, Smith, Sousa.

**UP NEXT:** Tottenham (h), Premier League, Saturday October 1.

**REFEREE:** David Coote 6.

**YOUR TURN:** Which Denmark midfielder scored in both Bees-Gunners games last season, a 2-0 home win and 2-1 away defeat?

### THIS time it was a nice kick about for the men, not the boys.

Unless you count the record-breaking Ethan Nwaneri, who Mikel Arteta brought on for the final minutes at the age of just 15.

Much to Ivan Toney's frustration, it is an impressively different Arsenal team that go into the international break with a smile on their faces than the one that started last season so dismally.

"Nice kick about with the boys," the latest call-up to the England squad had tweeted after the Bees' comfortable 2-0 win last August sparked a three-match losing run that sent the Gunners spiralling to the foot of the table. Now they sit at

the top and Arteta can snuggle up to his Manager-of-the-Month gong having exorcised the curse as he promised he would, so he could "sleep with it" for the next few weeks.

**From the opening minutes this time, Arsenal were an entirely different outfit.**

Usually London clubs who venture out along the A4 to the Gtech Community Stadium and, before that, Griffin Park, come a cropper -

by MATTHEW DUNN



Brentford winning 13 of the 17 previous league derbies, drawing three and losing just one.

However, with Gunners skipper Granit Xhaka joined in midfield by fit-again Thomas Partey, their no-nonsense athleticism gave the visitors instant control of the midfield.

Behind them, Gabriel Magalhaes seems to have pumped iron all summer and was proving more than a physical match for an increasingly isolated Toney.

At the same time, his defensive partner William Saliba gave a superb demonstration of his own power by heading Arsenal in front after just 17 minutes.

His flicked finish from Bukayo

Ivan Toney  
@ivantoney24

Nice kick about with the boys. @BrentfordFC

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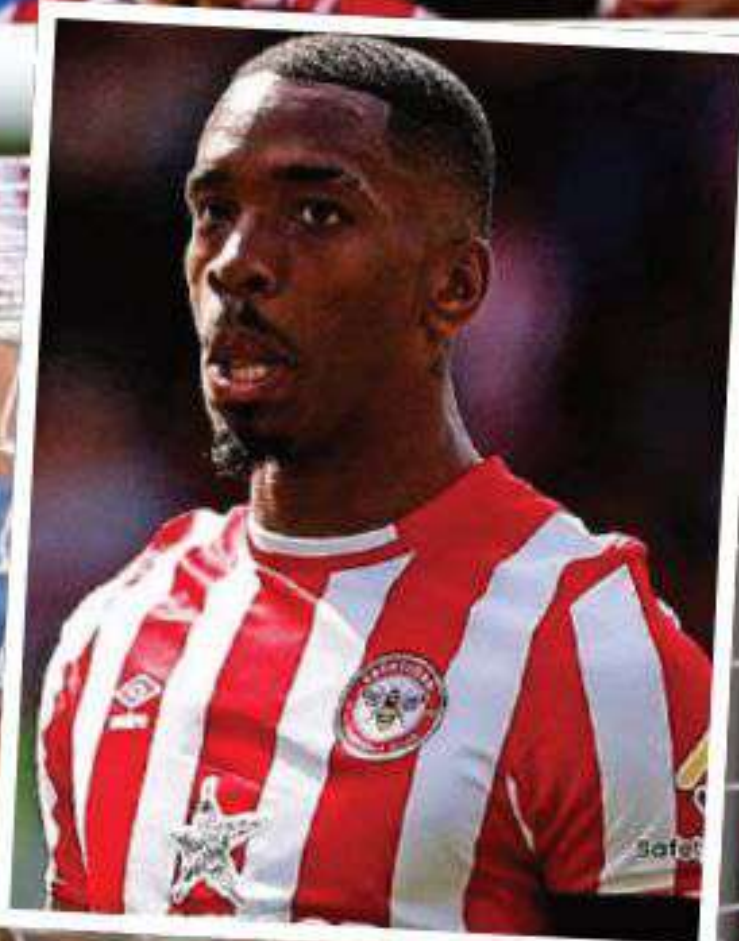
6,103 Retweets 2,759 Quote Tweets 81.5K Likes

**OH BOYS:** Ivan Toney (right) was out of luck and (above) his infamous tweet





# TWEETWISE



**STAR PLAYER**  
THOMAS PARTEY  
Arsenal have missed his class

**STAR SHOCKER**  
VITALY JANELT  
Outplayed in midfield battle

**MATCH RATING**  
☆☆☆

## Young Gunner

**From Back Page** Mikel Arteta's men a comfortable win.

Nwaneri, who attends St John's Prep and Senior School in Enfield, played for England Under-16s when he was 14 and now features for Arsenal Under-18s. He was called into the senior squad after injuries and wore No.83.

Arteta said: "It was a pure gut feeling. I met the boy and really liked what I saw. He's trained a couple of times with us."

"I told him yesterday that he was going to be with us and that he had to be ready. The boy just looks in your eyes and he's ready."

"He deserved it. It sends a really strong message about who we are as a club as well."

Arsenal went back top after Saturday wins for Manchester City and Tottenham and Arteta added: "We are top of the league, I am so happy."

"I was so annoyed because we lost it and we are used to that and want to get back there and show that we want to be there."



**WORTH THE WAIT:** Fabio Vieira celebrates his goal with Khaka (right) and Saliba before young Gun Ethan Nwaneri (above) made history



NO THANKS: Frank

## THOMAS WILL BEE STAYING

■ **by JOHN CROSS** THOMAS FRANK has pledged his future to Brentford – despite admiring glances from Premier League rivals.

Bees boss Frank was last week linked with Brighton and Leicester and took it as a big compliment, even if he insists he is not interested.

Asked about the links after the defeat to Arsenal, Frank said: "Very simple answer. I'm here at Brentford, very happy."

"Arsenal showed a lot of respect and we must have done something well."

The Dane also insisted it is not a distraction.

He added: "Can't speak for the players, but I'm reading very little, these rumours."

"I've been told to be a little aware of it if you get questions and of course it's nice to be linked with it because we have done well."

Brentford had an off day while Arsenal were at their best and Frank admitted it needed the opposite to cause an upset.

He said: "It's never as good as it looks and it's never as bad as it feels."

"For example, when we beat Man United 4-0, it was well deserved but probably not 4-0 and today when we lost 3-0 to Arsenal, it was well deserved but maybe not as dominant as 3-0."

"They are the form team with Man City and to get anything we had to perform at 10 out of 10."

"But you could also see how much it meant to Arsenal."

"Look how they celebrated the first goal, big huddle. They had to work very, very hard."

## Mikel's leaders stay on message

Saka's outswinging corner hit the far post and was clawed away by David Raya, but not before the ball had crossed the line, as the technology confirmed just moments later.

Arsenal continued to dominate and doubled the lead after 28 minutes when Khaka clipped an uncharacteristically delicate chip into the area for Gabriel Jesus, straining his neck muscles, to power back across goal and past Raya.

His spiralling dance was in support of international team-mate Vinicius Jr, who was criticised in Spain for doing something similar in the

Madrid derby. He then span away with his fingers to his ear, telephone-style – perhaps suggesting that Brazil coach Tite give him a call having overlooked him for the friendlies against Ghana and Tunisia.

Effectively, the game was over before half an hour but, maybe because of Toney's Twitter intervention last season, Arsenal still had plenty to say for themselves.

They were at their most eloquent just after half-time, with new signing Fabio Vieira, in the starting line-up with Martin Odegaard injured on the eve of the game, pausing 25 yards out

to curl the ball in off the near upright. With the Bees hardly able to lay a glove on Arsenal, Arteta could even treat Gunners fans to a glimpse of the future.

**He brought on Nwaneri who, at 15 years and 181 days, is the youngest-ever Premier League player.**

Gunners supporters sang: "How s\*\*t must you be, he's only 15. He's got school in the morning."

They finished with: "Ivan Toney, a stroll in the park" – proving you can send out a pretty strong message the old-fashioned way without the need for social media.



## Brendan axe fear

by **MIKE WALTERS**

BRENDAN RODGERS is on the brink – but it could cost Leicester more than £10m to sack him.

Just one point from seven games, and six consecutive defeats, have left Rodgers (inset) unsure if he will still be in charge at the King Power Stadium after the international break.

The 6-2 defeat at Tottenham, following a 5-2 hiding at Brighton, is likely to spell the end of the road for 49-year-old Rodgers.

But the Foxes boss has almost three years left to run on his £200,000-a-week contract, which

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## It's your job Rob

by **FELIX KEITH**

BRIGHTON have appointed Roberto De Zerbi as their new head coach to replace Graham Potter.

The 43-year-old Italian (inset) has signed a four-year contract with the

Seagulls after impressing chairman

Tony Bloom during talks this week.

He cut his teeth in coaching in the Italian lower leagues with Darfo Boario and Foggia before spells in Serie A

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# MOYES 'LET DOWN' BY HIS HAMMERS

by **CHRIS McKENNA**

DAVID MOYES admitted he felt let down by his West Ham players after their horror start to the season continued.

The Hammers head into the international break in the relegation zone after Neal Maupay (right, with boss Frank Lampard) handed them their fifth

## EVERTON 1 WEST HAM 0

defeat in seven Premier League games. The West Ham boss (above, left) said: "We had a game Turn to Page 41



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## BRENTFORD 0 ARSENAL 3



**MATCH ACTION**  
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# 15 YEARS 181 DAYS

## Gunners kid Ethan's so young he needs own changing room!

by **NEIL McLEMAN**

**YOUNG Gunner Ethan Nwaneri stepped into the Premier League yesterday at just 15 years and 181 days old.**

It made him the youngest player in Premier League history as he helped Arsenal regain their place at the top of the table.

Schoolboy Nwaneri was born in 2007 – eight months AFTER the North London club moved to the Emirates.

In fact, as the first 15-year-old to play in the league, he was so young he needed to change in a separate room at Brentford to comply with child protection rules.

The midfielder was an injury-time substitute as goals from William Saliba, Gabriel Jesus and Fabio Vieira gave

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**SCHOOL DAZE:** Ethan Nwaneri applauds the Gunners fans after coming on for Bukayo Saka (inset, left)



### YOUNGEST PLAYERS IN PREMIER LEAGUE HISTORY

18/09/2022	Ethan Nwaneri	Arsenal (v Brentford)	15 years 181 days
04/05/2019	Harvey Elliott	Fulham (v Wolves)	16 years 30 days
13/05/2007	Matthew Briggs	Fulham (v Middlesbrough)	16 years 68 days
04/05/2013	Izzy Brown	West Brom (v Wigan)	16 years 117 days
23/08/2003	Aaron Lennon	Leeds (v Spurs)	16 years 129 days



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MONDAY

by JAMES NURSEY  
WOLVES 0 MAN CITY 3

**NATHAN COLLINS** waited 25 minutes after the final whistle to apologise face to face to Jack Grealish for his X-rated challenge.

Wolves defender Collins was shown a straight red in the 33rd minute for a chest-high lunge on Manchester City's £100m man.

The horror tackle pole-axed Grealish, who stayed down for treatment after the shocking incident.

Collins (left) was distraught at his moment of madness but hung around in the tunnel long after the final whistle after getting showered and changed.

It is understood the Wolves star then sought out Grealish after he had finished celebrating the win at Molineux and completed his post-match interviews.

Apologetic Collins insisted to the England star that he did not mean it, said it was not malicious and stressed he was going for the ball.

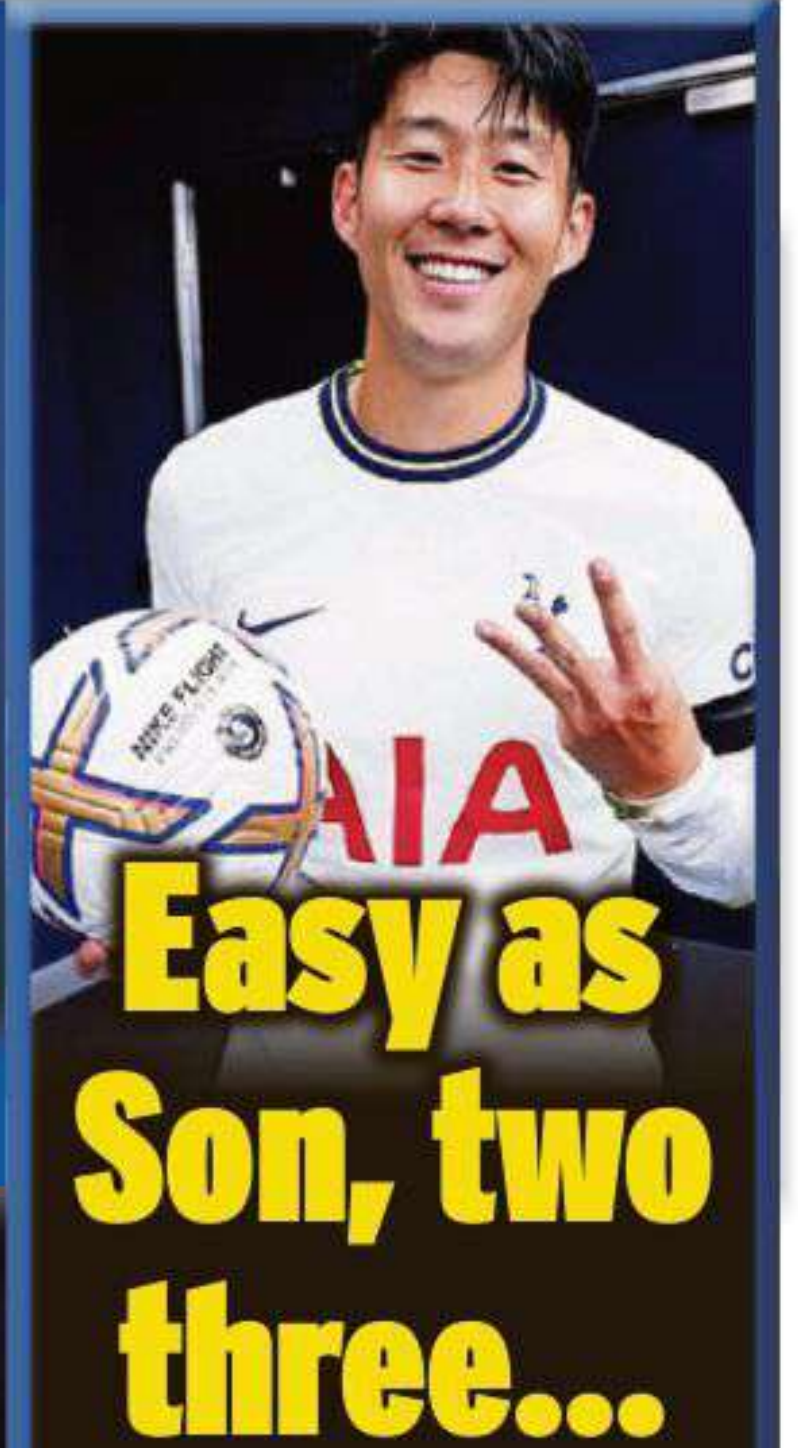
Grealish accepted the apology after the chest-high tackle but told

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X-rated lunge left  
Collins distraught

GREALISH  
SORRY



Easy as  
Son, two  
three...

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■ GREALISH  
BODILY HARM:  
Horror tackle floors  
City star (below)





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BUNDLE OF JOY: Ryan Manning opens scoring

## Manning proves he is the daddy

SWANSEA 3 HULL 0

RYAN MANNING is shaking off being kicked out of the Republic of Ireland family to emerge as the big daddy at Swansea.

The defender led the way with their first goal and turned in the kind of display that must leave Ireland fans wondering why the 26-year-old was omitted from their Nations League squad.

It came just 48 hours after Manning announced that he and his partner are expecting their first child in March.

His celebration involved the customary ball-up-the-jumper, I'm-gonna-be-a-dad routine.

Manager Russell Martin reckons his left-back is already a father figure in a young squad and Manning said: "I have taken on more responsibility as I've got older."

"I provide guidance for the younger ones, but there are a few good characters in our group."

"There's good banter on the training ground." He

■ by GRAHAM THOMAS

fired a sweet volley into the far corner in the 61st minute after his team-mates had struck the woodwork three times.

Luke Cundle and Joel Piroe – his fourth goal in five games – then extended the lead as Hull's horrible defence fell to pieces.

Manning added: "If we can really knuckle down and start taking our chances, then I think there is such an opportunity to go up this season."

Four straight defeats for woeful Hull have left boss Shota Arveladze on the brink, although he survived a Saturday night meeting with owner Acun Ilıcali.

Midfielder Regan Slater said: "The second goal was a shambles. Individual mistakes are really costing us at the moment."

"We've exchanged words in the changing room. No one is happy."

"Things need to change because we are not losing 1-0, we are losing by 2-0 or 3-0 and that shows where we're at."

## Early Warne-ing

MIDDLESBORO 0 ROTHERHAM 0

ROTHERHAM have already made their best start to a second-tier campaign in 56 years.

Now Paul Warne's men want to prove they're not too good for League One but not able to cut it in the division above.

"Maybe it's because I'm a football manager but I tend to catastrophise all the time," said Warne.

"You always see a problem coming down the road but this time around I think we have a bit more experience and the players get it. It feels a bit more comfortable."

"The Championship is a big step up for a club of our size and apart from the Sunderland performance, we could have won every game or we could have lost

■ by IAN MURTAGH

them all." Had Duncan Watmore had his shooting boots on, Middlesbrough would have won this one.

But while he lacked composure, he still looked the one player capable of making a difference.

Too many of Watmore's team-mates are down on confidence, none more so than Isaiah Jones.

Boro boss Chris Wilder said: "Isaiah is a young lad who did fabulously well after breaking into senior football and these things happen."

"It won't be the last time he goes through a period like this but he's still having a go – their wing-backs are real athletes but he always wanted to take them on."

# JUMPING JACK FLASH

SHOUT-STANDING: Jack Grealish roars with delight after scoring the opener

## Great to see the Greal deal unleashed says De Bruyne

KEVIN DE BRUYNE believes it was no coincidence that fans saw the best of Jack Grealish on Saturday.

The pressure has been building on the former Aston Villa star, who has been craving more goals and assists as he bids to live up to his £100m price tag since arriving at Manchester City.

But Grealish wasted no time in silencing some of his doubters with a vintage display at Molineux after he opened the scoring in just 55 seconds.

De Bruyne said: "If you start in the way we did, it is an incentive to say, 'OK, I got a goal and I am maybe a little more free in my mind to do what I need to do.'"

"Sometimes as a football player there are periods you find the net easily and then there are other periods where it is a little bit harder. For him playing forward and to start this way makes it a little bit easier."

From the moment Grealish opened his account for this term, he produced the type of trademark display which earned him his big-money move last summer.

The ball seemed stuck to his foot as he took players on at will and left defenders trailing.

Wolves stopper Nathan Collins was his biggest victim. The centre-back dived in with a wild and high lunge in the 33rd minute and was sent off.

De Bruyne also gave an insight to the adjustments Grealish has had to make from being a big fish in a 'losing team' at Villa while dealing with niggling injuries and negative opinions of his critics.

He added: "Critics are there when you

■ by JAMES NURSEY



are a good player. If you set certain standards for yourself, then everyone is going to measure you to these standards.

"He has been struggling with some injuries but has been playing good to me."

"He started pre-season well and he was sharp but then in the second game, at Bournemouth, he did his ankle a bit. Be patient, I am not too worried. He is fine."

"Jack was at Villa before and if you lose a game sometimes it is not the end of the world. But if we lose a game it is different."

"We have to perform every week and win games. That is the difference and what he has had to adjust to."

"But as long as we win the games, and he is doing a good job for us, that is all that matters."

With Grealish running amok, there was plenty of space and time in the 16th minute for Erling Haaland to score for the seventh consecutive game – taking his tally to 14 goals in nine games for City.

Wolves' hopes of a comeback were effectively ended when Collins was sent off and they never looked likely to add to their paltry tally of three league goals so far this season with Raul Jimenez injured and Diego Costa in the stands.

Phil Foden completed City's victory by flicking in De Bruyne's low cross midway through the second half.

**STAR PLAYER**  
JACK GREALISH  
Irresistible display

**STAR SHOCKER**  
NATHAN COLLINS  
Crazy tackle

**MATCH RATING**  
★★★

### STARFACTS

**WOLVES (4-3-3):** Sa 6; Jonny 6, Collins 4, Kilman 6, Ait-Nouri 6 (Semedo 81); Nunes 7, Neves 7, Moutinho 6; Neto 5 (Campbell 86), Podence 6 (B Traore 70, 6), Guedes 5 (Hwang 70, 6). **Subs:** Sarkic, Mosquera, Toti, Ronan, Bueno.

**UP NEXT:** West Ham (a), Premier League, Saturday October 1.

**MANCHESTER CITY (4-3-3):** Ederson 7; Stones 7, Akanji 7, Dias 7, Cancelo 7; De Bruyne 8 (Gundogan 72), Rodri 7 (Gomez 81), Silva 7 (Alvarez 72); Foden 8 (Mahrez 72), Haaland 8, GREALISH 9 (Palmer 77). **Subs:** Moreno, Carson, Walker, Ake.

**UP NEXT:** Manchester United (h), Premier League, Sunday October 2.

**REFEREE:** Anthony Taylor 7.

**YOUR TURN:** Who scored four goals in City's 5-1 win at Wolves last season?



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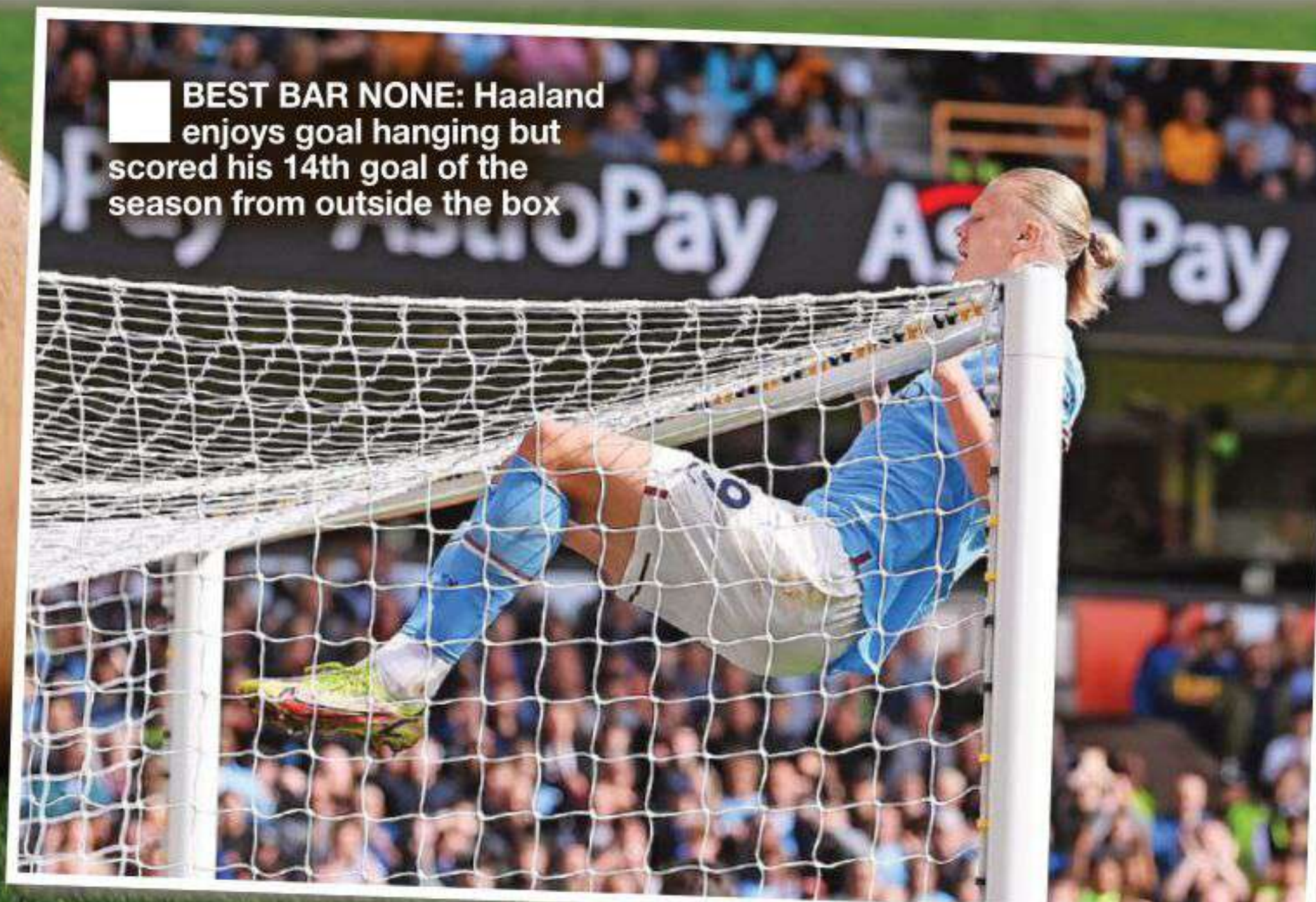
**JACK THE GLAD:** Grealish strikes to put City ahead inside the first minute



**KEV-ASTATING:** De Bruyne (above) sets up Foden to score City's third (below)



**BEST BAR NONE:** Haaland enjoys goal hanging but scored his 14th of the season from outside the box



## GREALLY SORRY

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team-mates it was actually his leg which hurt the most after Collins' studs went down his body.

Collins, signed from relegated Burnley this summer for £20.5m, now faces a three-game ban for violent conduct.

Wolves boss Bruno Lage will step up his bid to find a replacement centre-back for Willy Boly, who was sold to Nottingham Forest.

After signing free agent striker Diego Costa, Wolves are now looking at Belgium international defender Jason Denayer, who is out of contract after leaving Lyon.

Lage said: "When you miss Boly, we should have the opportunity to find a good centre-back to be a support to these two (Collins and Max Kilman). "Let's see what happens in the next days."



FLAIR: Willock

## Beale: Time to dazzle

**QPR STOKES** 0 0

by STEVE JUDGE

MICK BEALE wants his players to buy into QPR's "maverick" history after telling them at half-time they were boring to watch.

It was a rare dull moment for the QPR boss, who has been excited by his first three months in charge.

He spoke glowingly of the club's summer recruitment of seven players in for free or on loan and a top-six spot with 15 points going into the international break.

But he wants the likes of flair players Chris Willock and Ilias Chair to dazzle a fanbase brought up idolising the likes of Rodney Marsh, Stan Bowles and Tony Currie in the last century and more recently Adel Taarabt and Ebere Eze.

Beale said: "I said to the players I was bored first half. If I was bored, then everyone in the stadium's bored and that is not how we want to play."

"You have to know what's in the water around here and this club loves those mavericks and entertainers, so you have to give the players some freedom to go out and play and the fans buy into that much more."

"I would if I was paying for a ticket to watch every week."

Stoke keeper Joe Bursik produced three outstanding second-half saves from Kenneth Paal, Jimmy Dunne and Ethan Laird to deny Rangers all three points.

And boss Alex Neil was happy with five points from his first four games in charge, saying: "What we need to do is sustain our performance."



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**JOR-DROPPER:**  
Scorer Rhodes  
(left) celebrates with  
team-mate Rudoni

## Helik is happy making history

**HUDDERSFIELD 1 CARDIFF 0**

MICHAL HELIK hopes history can repeat itself for him at Huddersfield.

He was at Barnsley two years ago when Valerien Ismael replaced Gerhard Struber and they reached the play-offs after a grim start to the season.

The Poland centre-half (*inset*) believes Town can also bounce back when a new man eventually replaces Danny Schofield, who was sacked last week.

Helik, who joined from Barnsley on deadline day, starred in this win. It was only their second this season and the Terriers are still second bottom of the table.

He said: "It's a tough time for the players when a manager changes."

"I had the same

■ **by DAVID ANDERSON**  
situation when I arrived at Barnsley. Gerhard Struber left after a few weeks.

"The new coach Valerien Ismael came and we were performing really good and we got to the play-offs – and I believe that Huddersfield can repeat that."

"I'm a positive guy. I believe this could be a good thing for us."

Jordan Rhodes bagged the winner on eight minutes.

Cardiff were handed a lifeline when Andy Rinomhota was fouled in the box, but Callum Robinson's poor penalty was saved by Lee Nicholls.

Defeat spelt the end for Bluebirds boss Steve Morison, who was sacked yesterday.



## That's much Mor like it for Hatters

**LUTON 2 BLACKBURN 0**

REECE BURKE praised Luton's six-goal hitman Carlton Morris for kick-starting their season.

Morris, the Hatters' £1.5m record summer signing from Barnsley, kept up his hot form to score with a quality finish and help his side to a first home win this term.

Defender Burke, who scored the second, said: "That was a big home win for us. We've had a slow start to the season but our performances have deserved more."

"Carlton's a big, powerful lad. He's difficult to play against in training and he's the same at weekends – he's a nightmare."

"He was brilliant for us today. I hope he carries on getting his goals because he's helping the team massively."

"The way the game was

going we were all over them, so it was only a matter of time before we got the second goal and I'm happy I got it – it was what we needed."

This stinging defeat for Blackburn saw them drop out of the top six. They do not do draws, and have now won five and lost five of their opening 10 games.

Yet their Rovers boss Jon Dahl Tomasson remains calm.

He said: "We did okay in the first half but didn't do the right things in the second. Luton were getting joy with their pressing and we couldn't deal with that."

"I prefer to look at the bigger picture and I will keep saying it – this team can play very good and not that good."

"We need to find consistency over time, which we will do."



**WATCH AND LEARN:** Boss Eddie Howe admits Newcastle need to be more creative

# Europe's gone Dan the pan

## TOON HOPES CRASH AND BURN

**DAN BURN admits Newcastle might have to delay their ambition of qualifying for Europe.**

Eddie Howe conceded his side were "difficult to watch" and lacking in creative quality as they face a new challenge this season.

They had 73 per cent of the ball but couldn't break down resilient Bournemouth and are now without a win in six league games as rivals bank up and hit them on the break.

Add to that the low-key performance of record £60m buy Alexander Isak, who found it tough to get involved, and Howe has some tactical rethinking to do.

*Burn gave an honest assessment of where the Geordies stand right now after a year of big spending – £200m on the rebuild so far – with results not matching the pre-season hype.*

Asked if Tyneside optimism had been punctured, the defender said: "A little bit."

■ **by SIMON BIRD**



As a fanbase we are like that anyway. We always get ahead of ourselves.

"It has been like that since I was a kid. We have to be realistic the way we look at the takeover and how we are building our squad. Realistic, but we should still have targets in our head."

"Europe is pushing it a bit but we should be pushing top 10 comfortably. Hopefully we can reset after the international break."

"Everything felt a bit flat (in the stadium) and felt a bit weird, maybe with The Queen passing. Without the flags, too. Obviously

we have to pay our respects and it was one of those days."

Isak notched a penalty to equalise after VAR sent referee Craig Pawson to the monitor to rather harshly rule Jefferson Lerma had handled a cross. Perhaps Newcastle were owed a break from VAR after recent controversies.

The Cherries had taken the lead through Philip Billing, who flicked home Jordan Zemura's left-wing cross.

Burn summed up the new problem the Toon have, adding: "Frustrating. It was hard to break them down when they put everyone behind the ball and we will come across that a lot this season. Teams trying to take the sting out of it and dampen the crowd down. It is two points lost."

"It is a change of mentality and we have to find ways of breaking them down. We need to string a run together. Not getting beaten is good mentality-wise. But we might look back at the end of the season at

these games when we could have picked up more points.

*"Generally performances have been pretty good but that was the first one where we have looked back and it was below our usual standards."*

"We are doing work around the box. It hasn't come off. We are missing some big players, too, a bit of quality, and there are fine margins in football."

Allan Saint-Maximin has had an injury setback and could even miss the trip to Fulham a week on Saturday, but Callum Wilson is close to a comeback.

Howe said: "We're going to have to be better with the ball. We'll have to be more creative and show a bit more patience with the ball, too. We're going to have to get behind teams a bit more than we did here, especially if they play so deep."

"There's a lot for us to take from this game and take into future challenges."

**STAR PLAYER**  
JORDAN ZEMURA  
So solid

**STAR SHOCKER**  
MIGUEL ALMIRON  
Disappointing

**MATCH RATING**  
★★



**CHERRIES JOY:**  
Philip Billing  
flicks home to put  
Bournemouth ahead



# SERIOUSLY football EVERY KICK, EVERY BALL, EVERY GAME

**TOON GLOOM:**  
Joelinton, Chris  
Wood and Dan Burn  
react to another draw



## STARFACTS

**NEWCASTLE (4-3-3):** Pope 6; Trippier 7, Schar 6, Burn 6, Targett 6; Joelinton 5, Guimaraes 6 (Longstaff 72), Willock 6; Fraser 5 (Murphy 72), Almiron 5 (Wood 90) Isak 6. **Subs:** Karius, Botman, Lascelles, Ritchie, Lewis, Manquillo.  
**UP NEXT:** Fulham (a), Premier League, Saturday October 1.  
**BOURNEMOUTH (4-2-3-1):** Neto 7; A Smith 6, Mepham 7, Senesi 7, ZEMURA 8; Cook 7, Lerma 7; Christie 6 (Stacey 87), Billing 6 (Stephens 90), Tavernier 6 (Anthony 80); Solanke 5 (Moore 90). **Subs:** Travers, Marcondes, Lowe, Stanislas, Demebele.  
**UP NEXT:** Brentford (h), Prem League, Saturday October 1.  
**REFEREE:** Craig Pawson 7.  
**YOUR TURN:** Which Hastings-born defender scored the Cherries' 90th-minute winner when they last beat Newcastle away, 1-0 in November 2017?

**SPOT ON:** Isak hits a penalty equaliser after VAR intervention



## O'NEIL IN THE MIX FOR ROLE

■ by SIMON BIRD  
GARY O'NEIL will hold talks over his future as Bournemouth caretaker boss this week.

The Cherries fought out a deserved point on Tyneside with a solid game plan and O'Neil (inset) looks capable of holding the position longer after Scott Parker's sacking.

He said: "I will be finding out what's happening club-wise next week and see what the plan is. "If I keep the job, we will get back to work on the grass with the lads."

"I have no idea what's happening. I knew I was taking the lads today, but I don't know about further."

"The boys stood up. I am a little bit disappointed with the penalty, but we would have taken a point before."



## EUROSPOT

### JOSE SENT OFF AFTER HE RAGES AT REF ON PITCH

JOSE MOURINHO was sent off after storming the pitch in the 1-0 home loss to Atalanta.

The Roma boss had to be held back by staff as he raged at ref Daniele Chiffi for not giving a penalty for a 'foul' on Nicolo Zaniolo.

Giorgio Scalvini scored Atalanta's winner.

Simone Inzaghi shouldered the blame

after Inter Milan were beaten 3-1 at Udinese despite Nicolo Barella putting them ahead.

Inter boss Inzaghi said: "Today's performance leaves us perplexed."

"I am primarily responsible, I must do more and better."

Angel Di Maria was sent off in the first half as Juventus slumped to 1-0 defeat at Monza.

### GERMANY

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>AUGSBURG (0) 1</b>							
Berisha 59							
<b>B LEVERKUSEN (0) 1</b>							
Demirbay 57							
<b>B DORTMUND (0) 1</b>							
Moukoko 79							
<b>B M'GLADBACH (2) 3</b>							
Hofmann 10, 35							
Bensebaini 53							
<b>STUTTGART (0) 1</b>							
Tomas 79							
Att 47,500							
<b>HOFFENHEIM (0) 0</b>							
<b>UNION BERLIN (0) 2</b>							
Siebatheu 54							
Becker 77							
<b>VFL BOCHUM (1) 1</b>							
Schmitz 9 (og)							
<b>COLOGNE (0) 1</b>							
Maina 88							

### FRANCE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>LILLE (1) 2</b>							
David 6							
Ounas 54							
<b>MONTPELLIER (1) 2</b>							
Nordin 18							
Savanier 90 (pen)							
Att 11,153							
<b>BREST (0) 0</b>							
Hamouma 66							
<b>CLERMONT FOOT (1) 1</b>							
Gastien 5							
Att 10,753							
<b>LYON (0) 0</b>							
Messi 6							
<b>MARSEILLE (0) 1</b>							
Guendouzi 53							
<b>NANTES (0) 0</b>							
Att 18,545							
<b>NICE (0) 0</b>							
Ben Yedder 90							
<b>REIMS (0) 0</b>							
<b>TOULOUSE (0) 1</b>							
Chaibi 49							
Att 33,635							
<b>STRASBOURG (0) 1</b>							
Diallo 86							
Att 10,780							
<b>AC AJACCIO (0) 1</b>							
Hamouma 66							
<b>TROYES (1) 3</b>							
Balde 24, 55							
Ripart 84							
<b>PSG (1) 1</b>							
Messi 6							
<b>RENNES (1) 1</b>							
Guendouzi 26 (og)							
Att 62,753							
<b>ANGERS (0) 0</b>							
Bentaleb 44							
<b>MONACO (0) 3</b>							
Golin 48							
Minamino 88							
Ben Yedder 90							

### SPAIN

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>AT BILBAO (3) 3</b>							
I Williams 14							
Sancet 28							
N Williams 33							
<b>BARCELONA (2) 3</b>							
Lewandowski 34, 48							
Depay 41							
<b>MALLORCA (1) 1</b>							
Maffeo 25							
<b>VALENCIA (1) 3</b>							
Castillejo 37							
Marcos Andre 82							
Almeida 90							
<b>AT MADRID (1) 1</b>							
Hernandez 83							
<b>OSASUNA (0) 0</b>							
<b>REAL BETIS (1) 2</b>							
Iglesias 15 (pen), 71							
<b>REAL SOCIEDAD (2) 2</b>							
Sorloth 17, Mendez 29							
<b>VILLARREAL (0) 1</b>							
Baena 51							
<b>RAYO VALLECANO (1) 2</b>							
Trejo 5							
Falcao 80							
Att 43,484							
<b>ELCHE (0) 0</b>							
Att 85,073							
<b>ALMERIA (0) 0</b>							
Att 12,687							
<b>CELTA VIGO (0) 0</b>							
Att 40,965							
<b>REAL MADRID (2) 2</b>							
Rodrygo 18							
Valverde 36							
<b>GETAFE (1) 2</b>							
Iglesias 30							
Alvarez 76							
<b>GIRONA (1) 1</b>							
Martinez 7							
<b>ESPANYOL (1) 1</b>							
Exposito 19							
<b>SEVILLA (1) 1</b>							
Torres 8							

### ITALY

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>BOLOGNA (0) 0</b>							
Att 15,670							
<b>SPEZIA (1) 2</b>							
Murillo 13 (og)							
Nzola 73							
<b>TORINO (0) 0</b>							
Att 14,822							
<b>AC MILAN (0) 1</b>							
Giroud 70							
<b>CREMONENSE (0) 0</b>							
<b>FIorentina (1) 2</b>							
Ikone 14							
Gonzalez 90							
<b>MONZA (0) 1</b>							
Gytkaer 75							
<b>ROMA (0) 0</b>							
<b>UDINESE (1) 3</b>							
Skriniar 23 (og)							
Bijol 85							
Arslan 90							
<b>EMPOLI (0) 1</b>							
Bandinelli 76							
<b>SAMPDORIA (1) 1</b>							
Sabiri 12							
Att 8,000							
<b>SASSUOLO (0) 1</b>							
Alvarez 90							
<b>NAPOLI (0) 2</b>							
Politano 56 (pen)							
Simone 79							
<b>LAZIO (3) 4</b>							
Immobile 8, 22 (pen)							
Milinkovic-Savic 45							
Pedro 80							
<b>VERONA (0) 0</b>							
<b>JUVENTUS (0) 0</b>							
<b>ATALANTA (1) 1</b>							
Scalvini 36							
<b>INTER MILAN (1) 1</b>							
Barella 6							
Att 22,475							



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LINE CALL: Zian Flemming 'scores' the Millwall opener

## Rowett's goal to back Flemming

MILLWALL 2 BLACKPOOL 1

MILLWALL manager Gary Rowett insists the club will fight for record signing Zian Flemming after his first 'goal' was officially given against the Blackpool goalkeeper.

An early header from the £1.7m Dutchman crossed the line by millimetres via a save from Daniel Grimshaw and a post.

But the incident is heading for the EFL's Dubious Goals Committee as the keeper's second touch looked to be after the ball crossed the line.

Even referee Darren Bond had awarded the goal to the forward, who is desperate to get off the mark after a switch from Fortuna Sittard.

The panel will sit after the Bank Holiday and Rowett said: "If there is any doubt, the striker should get the goal. It is certainly

■ by HECTOR NUNNS

something we will ask about. I am pleased with Zian and I think he'll get better and better."

After the Lions took the lead in the 14th minute, teenager Charlie Patino levelled just past the half-hour mark.

The 18-year-old, on loan from Arsenal, began and finished a fine move.

But striker Benik Afobe secured just a second win in seven for Millwall after 63 minutes.

Blackpool boss Michael Appleton hailed the display from Patino and admitted his injury-hit squad would benefit from the international break.

He said: "The goal chalked off a good display from Charlie and with the players and characters we are missing, the break is coming at a good time."

## Paul's passion play pays off

WIGAN 0 READING 1

PAUL INCE hailed his side's performance as "full of passion" as Reading shook off their midweek defeat to move up to third in the table.

Prior to the game the Royals had managed only one goal on the road and were coming off the back of a shock 3-0 home loss to Sunderland.

After a lacklustre first half, it was Paul's son Tom (inset) who settled the game with a sublime free-kick, ensuring victory for the Berkshire side and leaving the Latics winless from their five home matches this term.

Ince Snr said: "Irrespective if we'd won the game, lost the game, or drew the game, I thought the lads put in a brilliant performance to bounce back from the defeat to Sunderland. It was a performance full of

■ by LUKE MCGOVERN

passion. We looked solid, structured and there were people putting their heads in there to win the ball.

"Once we got a foothold and the goal we played some lovely stuff and I felt we deserved to be in front."

The only goal came on 63 minutes when Tom Ince was brought down by Max



Power on the right-hand edge of the box.

Ince's sumptuous left-footed strike sailed past Ben Amos and into the top right-hand corner.

Wigan rallied late on and boss Leam Richardson took the positives, saying:

"I felt it was a game we could have won. We had the momentum, we had the possession without turning it into penetration.

"But this league is unforgiving. If you're not at it, teams will ask you questions."

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**MATCH RATING**  
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JUST THE TRICK:  
Son coolly slots home his third goal



## ...hip hip hooray as Spurs hotshot finds killer instinct

■ by MIKE WALTERS



a big hug, even in tough times. He's always been next to me at every stop. Even today, before we left the hotel, we had a couple of minutes and a nice conversation which made me comfortable and grateful."

Son had cut an increasingly frustrated figure lately after struggling to open his account for the season.

According to Premier League stat fans, his previous 17 goal attempts this season had all drawn a blank. The last four now read goal, goal, blank, goal.

He added: "I'm born loving football and I am still in love with football. I'm an attacking player and when I'm not scoring,

IN A crazy episode of *Six and the City*, hat-trick hero Heung-min Son shared a long hug with his "killer" fitness coach.

Move over, Sarah Jessica Parker. This was proper prime-time entertainment.

Although Tottenham won't win the title with such scatterbrain defending, at least their South Korean striker is back where he belongs – as the life and Seoul of the party.

Son's stunning impact from the bench certainly stole the show against Leicester.

After 118 days without a goal for Tottenham, along came three in the space of 13 minutes after throwing off his superhero's cape. Brilliant but ridiculous.

He celebrated his treble with silver fox Gian Piero Ventrone, Spurs boss Antonio Conte's sergeant major, who is nicknamed 'The Marine' because of his gruelling fitness drills, bordering on torture, leave players collapsed and throwing up.

Son said: "He's a killer. But I have a really good relationship with Gian Piero.

"Obviously his English isn't perfect and sometimes he comes with his phone to translate into English from Italian.

"It means a lot. Not just football-wise, but life-wise he gives me so much advice and I am grateful for that. I always give him

I'm not happy. How can I be happy if I have an unbelievable opportunity to score and don't take the chances?

"If I'm happy and I'm not scoring, I probably wouldn't be here.

"Sometimes when I go home, even if we've won the game, I'm still sad because my performance wasn't good, there are things I can do better and the mistakes I made because I missed the chances.

"But I still love football, even in the tough moments, and this is why I am here."

Son admitted his drought was harder to take after scoring 23 goals and sharing the Golden Boot with Liverpool's Mo Salah last season.

He said: "Sometimes you achieve so many amazing things that people are going to look at you and give you more attention.

"It was a tough first few games, but I have experienced enough in professional football teams. I had some bad periods. It



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# GOT HIS HAT ON

## JAMES IS HURTING LIKE MAD FOR BREN

■ by MIKE WALTERS

JAMES MADDISON admits he is "hurt" that manager Brendan Rodgers has taken the flak for Leicester's shocking start.

The one-cap England midfielder says the Foxes' six consecutive defeats are a "collective" responsibility.

Rodgers was given pelters by a section of Leicester's travelling support as he walked across the pitch to acknowledge their backing after Heung-min Son's hat-trick took the game away from City.

Playmaker Maddison said: "Pressure? It's a collective, it's not the manager, we're the 11 out there."

"It's painful and it hurts when you see a manager who you have a lot of respect for and you have a brilliant relationship with get so much heat and so much negativity. "Ultimately we're the players out there, we have to do the business and we haven't of late."

"People will see 6-2 and think, 'Wow, Leicester got battered again' – but I don't think it was the case."

"We put so much into the game and first half it seemed like the Leicester we know and a Brendan Rodgers side that we've created."

"Then Son comes on, produces a couple of moments of magic and it ends up 6-2, which looks like a ridiculous scoreline and it's hard to take."

Rodgers brought in a set-piece coach after Leicester's nightmare defending corners and free-kicks last season, but Spurs' first two goals were a return to dead-ball shambles.

Defender James Justin said: "The forward players are doing more than enough for us to win games and we need to come together as a group and keep clean sheets."

"This season, apart from the Arsenal game and this one, we've been pretty solid from set-pieces. We've just been undone by a couple today, but both of those goals are preventable."

"It's pretty low (team morale) but we've got to get our heads up and work over the break."

BACK ON TRACK: Son celebrates

## STARFACTS

**TOTTENHAM (3-4-2-1):** Lloris 8; Sanchez 5 (Romero 59, 6), Dier 7, Lenglet 6; Perisic 7 (Royal 55, 6), Bentancur 7, Hojbjerg 7, Sessegnon 7; Kulusevski 6 (Bissouma 70, 7), Richarlison 6 (SON 59, 9); Kane 7. **Subs:** Forster, Doherty, Skipp, Gil, Tanganga.

**UP NEXT:** Arsenal (a), Premier League, Saturday October 1.

**LEICESTER (4-1-4-1):** Ward 5; Castagne 5, Faes 6, Evans 5, Justin 5; Ndidi 4 (Soumare, 85); Maddison 7, Tielemans 6, Dewsbury-Hall 6 (Iheanacho 74), Barnes 5; Daka 5 (Vardy 74). **Subs:** Iversen, Albrighton, Perez, Amartey, Praet, Thomas.

**UP NEXT:** Nottingham Forest (h), Premier League, Monday October 3.

**REFEREE:** Simon Hooper 6.

**YOUR TURN:** Which Spurs star scored two goals in 13 league appearances on loan at Leicester in 2013?

wasn't that bad, but in these tough moments I had some lessons and really good people around me to help me.

"I was not happy and I was disappointed with myself. Now I can go away with the national team with a good feeling."

Rock-bottom Leicester had a deserved foothold at 2-2, and the Foxes were good value for Youri Tielemans and James Maddison's goals.

**However, City have leaked 22 goals in seven games – Leicester's worst defensive league record in any division.**

And also the poorest defensive record of any team in the Premier League era at this stage of the season.

The Foxes' poor start to the season has seen manager Brendan Rodgers come under fire from angry fans.

Harry Kane, Eric Dier and Rodrigo Bentancur's other goals for Tottenham were too easy.

Something has to give at the King Power and Rodgers is the obvious fall guy.

But for high-flying Spurs, who head to table-toppers and arch-rivals Arsenal next, all the eggs in Conte's basket are most certainly Sonny side up again.

DOWN IN DUMPS: Maddison looks distraught after yet another heavy defeat



SCORER: Rodriguez

## Vin has a team of note

### BURNLEY BRISTOL CITY 2 1

■ by JOHN RICHARDSON  
BURNLEY players are all singing from the same song sheet – and Vincent Kompany is delighted.

The new Turf Moor boss brought in 16 players during the summer and many feared it would take them a while to gel.

But the Clarets are in fourth place and Kompany said: "We've all got high standards. When you look back before the first game, there was a lot of uncertainty."

"Today there's music in this team and that's what we need to maintain."

"There is a lot of progression which still can be made but it's a team that is at least giving hope – and hope is important."

"As long as we keep creating chances, I believe we are doing the right thing."

Chances did arrive and were taken in style by Burnley stalwart Jay Rodriguez, who hit the winner, and new boy Manuel Benson, whose opener was levelled by Nahki Wells for Bristol City.

Rodriguez is delighted the new recruits have hit the ground running, saying: "The willingness to work and learn, and the hunger, is there. It's a really healthy dressing room."

For Bristol City it's all about improving on last season's 17th-place finish.

Manager Nigel Pearson said: "Had we won we would have 17 points. We probably deserve to be on 17 or 18 points. We're not, but it's still a big improvement on where we have been."

"We can make improvements which will give us a chance of being competitive."



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ROUND-UP

ON STRIKE:  
Jackson scores  
opener for IpswichMAC LASH FOR  
TRACTOR BOYS

IPSWICH boss Kieran McKenna warned his table toppers they must learn quickly after they blew a two-goal lead in a 2-2 draw at **Sheffield Wednesday**.

Kayden Jackson's early strike and an own goal from Dominic Iorfa saw Ipswich leading with 15 minutes left, but late strikes by George Byers and Michael Smith levelled matters.

The Tractor Boys are top on goal difference and McKenna said: "We have to learn from it and I'm sure we will."

Owls boss Darren Moore said: "I'm pleased with the character of the boys. I'm proud of them."

**Portsmouth** are level with Ipswich on 21 points after Reeco Hackett-Fairchild scored a stoppage-time equaliser to secure a 2-2 draw against 10-man **Plymouth**.

Josh Koroma put Pompey ahead but Sean

LIP SERVICE:  
Afolayan  
hails his winner  
for Bolton

by BRIAN LEE

Raggett's own goal and a Niall Ennis effort saw Plymouth lead.

Brendan Galloway saw red for two cautions before and Hackett-Fairchild struck.

Pompey boss Danny Cowley said: "We dug in collectively and found a way to get the point."

Plymouth sit third in the table, but boss Steven Schumacher wanted more, saying: "We are gutted not to come away with the three points."

**Lincoln** won 6-3 at **Bristol Rovers**, with Jack Diamond scoring a hat-trick, but Imps boss Mark Kennedy said: "I know the team can do a lot better."

**Burton** picked up a first win of the season after beating **Exeter** 2-0 with second-half goals from Deji Oshilaja and Davis Keillor-Dunn.

A late goal from Dapo Afolayan saw **Bolton** beat **Peterborough** 1-0.

**Barnsley** survived the second-half dismissal of midfielder Liam Kitching to win 3-0 at **Cambridge**.

**Forest Green's** struggles continued after a stoppage-time winner from Farrend Rawson saw them beaten 2-1 at home by fellow strugglers **Morecambe**.

Matthew Smith's first-half goal and a penalty from Will Grigg gave **MK Dons** a 2-1 win at **Oxford**.

Sean McConville struck after 32 seconds for **Accrington** against **Cheltenham** to give them a 1-0 home win.

Conor Hourihane scored a late brace as **Derby** enjoyed a 2-1 home win over **Wycombe**.

**Fleetwood** and **Charlton** drew 1-1, while Ellis Harrison headed in a stoppage-time goal to give **Port Vale** a 2-1 win over **Shrewsbury**.

BY HECK IT  
WORKSNorwood praise for  
top-class Blades

by NEIL GOULDING

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**OLI NORWOOD** hailed the Paul Heckingbottom revolution, with **Sheffield United** sitting pretty at the top of the Championship.

A first-half strike from Senegalese midfielder Iliman Ndiaye and a close-range finish from Oli McBurnie with 15 minutes remaining saw the Blades go three points clear at the summit.

And after a fourth straight win and clean sheet – and having claimed a seventh win in their opening 10 league outings – Norwood said: "It's been incredible, the rise and the points we've picked up. Since Hecky has been in charge, it has been unbelievable."

"It's been a fantastic start – since the first game, we haven't looked back – but it's not just been this season, it's ever since Hecky took the job."

Former Barnsley and Leeds boss Heckingbottom started life at Bramall Lane as the club's Under-23s coach but had a short-spell as interim boss when Chris Wilder left in March 2021, and became the permanent manager after Slavisa Jokanovic departed last November.

And the Yorkshire-born 45-year-old coach has worked wonders as they set their sights on the Premier League.

**The Blades were beaten 3-2 on penalties by Nottingham Forest in last year's play-off semi-finals but this season they are on an eight-match unbeaten run.**

"Last season we ran out of time, it's pretty simple really," said Norwood. "Another 10 minutes in the Forest game and we could have won, we had the momentum."

"We were disappointed, it was heartbreaking what happened, but we've picked up where we left off last season."

"We've set our stall out this season and set the standard. We want to stay there [at the top of the table]."

Ndiaye got the ball rolling for the Blades after they found themselves under the cosh in the first half.

The Lilywhites wasted a string of chances before Ben Whiteman and Liam Lindsay dithered for the hosts and Ndiaye pinched the ball, beat two defenders and smashed home off the inside of the right post.

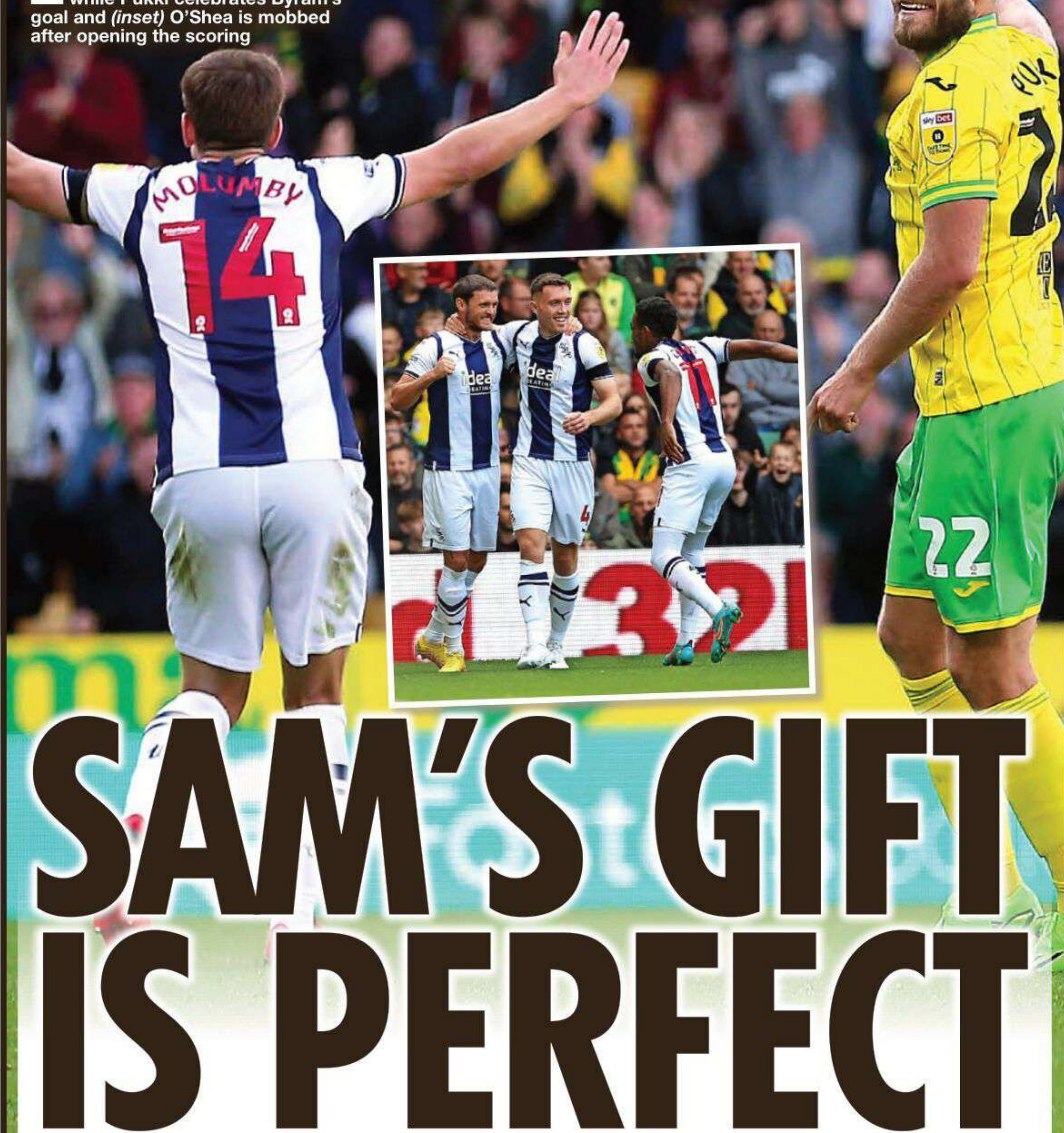
And then Scotland hitman McBurnie sealed the deal with a smart finish for his fourth league goal in five games.

ON THE RUN:  
Iliman Ndiaye  
celebrates scoring the  
first Blades goalALL SMILES: Oli  
McBurnie seals  
victory with a shot  
from close range



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REF JUSTICE: Molumby appeals while Pukki celebrates Byram's goal and (inset) O'Shea is mobbed after opening the scoring



## SAM'S GIFT IS PERFECT

**SAM BYRAM** admitted his unexpected birthday present might never have arrived.

The Norwich full-back turned 29 on Friday and scored his first goal since December 2015 the following day.

Not that he knew much about it as Teemu Pukki's shot hit him on an arm to cancel out Dara O'Shea's early West Brom opener.

But at least he was on the pitch to score it. The former West Ham man, who was at Leeds the last time he scored, revealed he had been close to quitting not so long ago. The makeshift left-back (right, tackling Jayson Molumby) had a huge chunk of his career put on hold when a hamstring tendon ruptured so badly it came away from the bone.

That ended his season in February 2020 – and, two operations later, he did not play again until December the following year.

"There was times when I'd considered maybe packing it in, when I couldn't see a solution to the problem," he said.

"I'd gone down different routes to fix the issue and it just took time. I'm thankful to be where I am."

Byram also insisted he had no idea whether his 68th-minute goal should have stood. "I'll have to watch it back and see if I was offside and if it did hit my arm," he

## Canaries ace wraps up return



said. "But I'm not complaining. I'll take it and I'll take the point as well. It's nice to get back on the scoresheet."

The Baggies were convinced it should have been ruled out.

And they believe they should have had a penalty at 1-0 when Grant Hanley barged John Swift over.

Steve Bruce knows his position remains precarious so long as Albion are at the wrong end of the table.

They would have dropped into the bottom three had Middlesbrough beaten Rotherham on Saturday night. The

Baggies were superior to the second-place hosts, who had won their previous six, from the moment O'Shea lost his marker – Byram – in the eighth minute to head home Swift's free-kick at the back post.

Bruce, who let the officials have both

barrels afterwards, was confident a side that has drawn seven but won just once can quickly move up the table, especially as he now has Erik Pieters on the left of the defence.

**The Dutchman** joined last week as a free agent after leaving Burnley in the summer and had a solid game.

"I know I'm good enough, I've got the experience and the body's still good at the minute," said Pieters.

"I feel great, I'm not slowing down."



## sky bet LEAGUE TWO EFL ROUND-UP



THANK GORD: Josh Gordon enjoys Barrow opener

## DEFEAT SUCH A HART-BREAKER

**HARTLEPOOL** have sacked manager Paul Hartley after Saturday's 2-0 defeat at Sutton extended the club's winless start.

Former Scotland international Hartley (inset) was appointed this summer after leaving Cove Rangers, but Will Randall and Harry Beautyman did the damage for Sutton.

Top-of-the-table **Leyton Orient** maintained their 100 per cent home record with a 1-0 victory over **Walsall** after defender Omar Beckles struck from a 58th-minute corner.

"Teams will change the way they play when they come here now, so we have to be a little bit better, but we were patient," said O's boss Richie Wellens.

Josh Gordon scored twice as second-placed **Barrow** won 2-0 at **Newport**.

Boss Pete Wild said: "On the bus drive down, you'd have thought we were going on a stag do because of the camaraderie and the unity in the group."

"If they are like that off the pitch, it shows on the

by **BRIAN LEE**

pitch." Andy Cook bagged a brace to help **Bradford** beat **Stevenage** 3-0, despite a late red card for defender Brad Halliday.

Bantams boss Mark Hughes said: "We have got more strings to our bow possibly than other teams have."

**Northampton** are up to third after thumping rock-bottom **Rochdale** 3-0, with Sam

Hoskins scoring twice.

Josh Hawkes' goal was enough to give **Tranmere** a

1-0 win at

**Salford**, while.

**Carlisle** beat **AFC Wimbledon** 2-1 and **Mansfield** ran out 2-0 winners at **Gillingham**.

Harry Clifton's goal just after the hour gave **Grimsby** a 1-0 victory at **Colchester**, who yesterday sacked manager Wayne Brown.

A late effort from Courtney Baker-Richardson handed **Crewe** success by the same scoreline at home to **Crawley**.

A Jacob Wakeling strike saw **Swindon** win 1-0 at **Doncaster** but **Stockport** and **Harrogate** drew 0-0.



BRAD HIT: Tyreik Wright (right) after scoring for Bradford



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## NATIONAL LEAGUE



### Draw's Uch a relief

JESURUN Uchegbulam's late equaliser salvaged a point for **Chesterfield** in a 2-2 draw at **Yeovil** that kept the Spireites top.

Paul Cook's side remain unbeaten nine games into the campaign but assistant boss Danny Webb said: "It was a bit ugly, a bit unattractive to watch but to draw, in hindsight, is a good point."

"We leave not over the moon, but reasonably happy. The boys kept going until the end."

**Wrexham** failed to take advantage and remain second after a 0-0 draw at **Southend**. Manager Phil

■ by IAN WINROW

Parkinson said: "It was a day where our real solid citizens – the goalkeeper and the back five – had to stand strong."

**Notts County's** unbeaten start came to an abrupt halt when they were beaten 3-1 at **Dorking**, with James McShane grabbing a hat-trick.

Dorking boss Marc White said: "I was not happy with the performance but what I was happy with was the fans' spirit, the players' spirit and it was fitting that McShane got his hat-trick."

# STENG IN THE TAIL!

## Katie's spot on to stun Blues

■ by TOM BLOW

### LIVERPOOL CHELSEA 2 1

**KATIE STENGEL** stunned defending champions **Chelsea** at **Prenton Park** yesterday.

The Blues were expected to start their campaign with a victory against newly-promoted rivals and opened the scoring early on through Fran Kirby.

Yet a pair of second-half penalties from Stengel completed a sensational comeback.

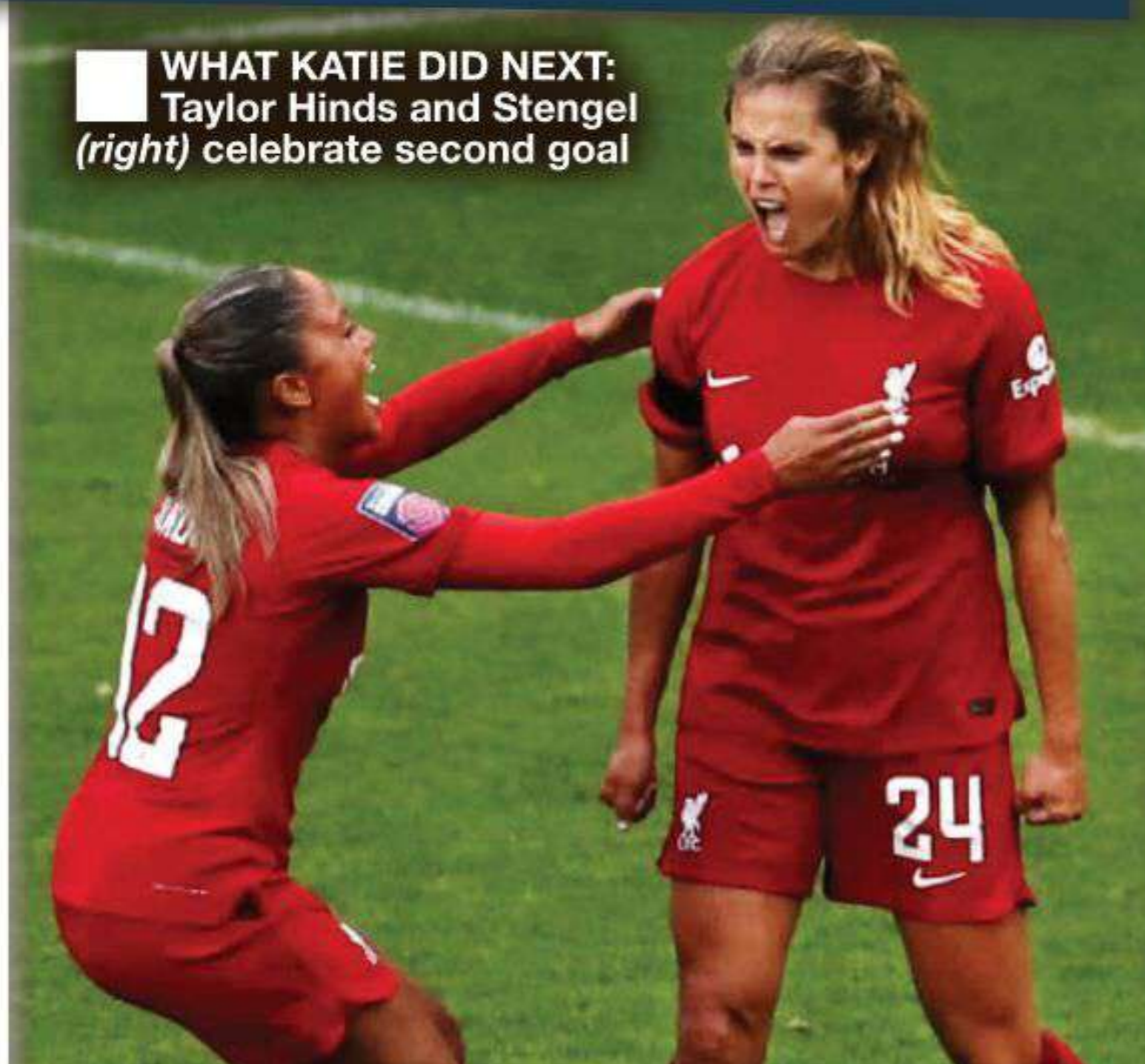
Much was expected of Liverpool following their promotion to the WSL. Matt Beard's side stormed to the Championship title last season by winning 16 of their 22 games, losing just twice.

*Even Emma Hayes waxed lyrical about the Reds before the game. "They've got an experienced manager who knows the league," said the Chelsea manager.*

"You can see with the players he's brought in he knows what it takes at this level. I think Liverpool will not struggle, they will be very competitive this year."

Yet Liverpool received a rude awakening in the top flight when Gilly Flaherty

WHAT KATIE DID NEXT: Taylor Hinds and Stengel (right) celebrate second goal



caught Guro Reiten in the box, allowing Kirby to step up and calmly convert the penalty.

After that, the 3,006 spectators at Prenton Park – a record attendance for Liverpool at the ground – would have been forgiven for fearing the worst. Yet the hosts continued to battle and got their reward just after the hour mark

when Millie Bright was penalised for handling in the box. American forward Stengel made no mistake from the spot.

*The Blues were expected to respond to that setback but they could not handle Stengel.*

The match-winner made a brilliant run into the box. Kadeisha Buchanan, on her Chelsea debut, had no choice but to commit a foul and Stengel converted her second spot-kick.

## WSL ROUND-UP

■ by IAN WINROW

**LIONESS** Rachel Daly made a "dream start" to her **Aston Villa** career by scoring twice in the opening round 4-3 defeat of **Manchester City**.

Daly (inset) settled the outcome with a 76th-minute winner.

She said: "It's a dream start. Getting on the scoresheet not once but twice is nice, but more importantly getting a win against one of the top teams."

**Alisha Lehmann** and **Daly** put **Villa** two up but **Laura Coombs** and **Bunny Shaw** levelled. **Coombs** put **City** ahead before **Kenza Dali** equalised.

**Tottenham** beat **Leicester** 2-1 at the **King Power Stadium**.

First-half goals from **Ashleigh Neville** and **Drew Spence** put **Spurs** in control before a **Spence** own goal.

**Lisa Evans** headed the only goal as **West Ham** won at home to **Everton**.



### VANARAMA NATIONAL LEAGUE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>Chesterfield</b>	9	6	3	0	19	10	21
<b>Wrexham</b>	9	6	2	1	23	8	20
<b>Solihull Moors</b>	9	5	3	1	23	10	18
<b>Notts County</b>	9	5	3	1	21	9	18
<b>Boreham Wood</b>	9	5	3	1	14	7	18
<b>Wealdstone</b>	9	4	4	1	10	7	16
<b>Bromley</b>	9	5	1	3	12	10	16
<b>York</b>	9	4	3	2	10	7	15
<b>Barnet</b>	9	4	2	3	14	12	14
<b>Woking</b>	9	4	1	4	13	10	13
<b>Dorking W</b>	9	4	1	4	15	21	13
<b>Eastleigh</b>	9	3	2	4	11	13	11
<b>Dag &amp; Red</b>	9	3	2	4	13	17	11
<b>Oldham</b>	9	3	2	4	10	14	11
<b>Maidstone Utd</b>	9	3	2	4	11	20	11
<b>Maidenhead U</b>	9	3	1	5	7	11	10
<b>Southend</b>	9	2	3	4	8	9	9
<b>Aldershot</b>	9	3	0	6	13	16	9
<b>Yeovil</b>	9	1	5	3	9	11	8
<b>Torquay</b>	9	2	2	5	6	12	8
<b>FC Halifax</b>	9	2	2	5	7	14	8
<b>Gateshead</b>	9	1	4	4	12	15	7
<b>Scunthorpe</b>	9	1	2	6	10	18	5
<b>Altrincham</b>	9	0	5	4	9	19	5

**ALDERSHOT (2) 5**  
Corder 26, 40, Glover 50  
Amaluzor 69, Effiong 86 (pen)

**BROMLEY (2) 3**  
Sowunmi 15, Marriott 44, 48  
Dag & Red (2) 4  
Onariase 26, Vilhete 34  
Barrows 65 (og), Walker 69

**DORKING WAND (1) 3**  
McShane 19, 90, 90

**GATESHEAD (1) 1**  
Hasani 15

**MAIDENHEAD UTD (0) 1**  
Acquah 74

**OLDHAM (1) 3**  
Burgess 3, Fondop-Talom 64  
Wellens 89

**SCUNTHORPE (0) 1**  
Apter 88

**SOLIHULL MOORS (1) 1**  
Dallas 30 (pen)

**SOUTHEND (0) 0**

**FC HALIFAX (1) 1**  
Dieseruw 37  
Att: 1,379

**MAIDSTONE UTD (0) 0**  
Att: 3,386

**ALTRINCHAM (0) 1**  
Lundstram 78  
Att: 1,162

**NOTTS COUNTY (0) 1**  
Scott 50  
Att: 2,402

**BOREHAM WOOD (0) 1**  
Rees 50  
Att: 1,112

**WOKING (0) 0**  
Att: 1,409

**EASTLEIGH (2) 2**  
Whitehall 29, 38  
Att: 6,637

**YORK (1) 1**  
John-Lewis 23 (pen)  
Att: 3,758

**BARNET (1) 1**  
De Havilland 3  
Att: 1,407

**WREXHAM (0) 0**  
Att: 6,266

# SAINTS STUN HOOPS

**CELTIC** suffered a first league defeat in 364 days as they were beaten 2-0 at **St Mirren** yesterday.

Ange Postecoglou's side came into the game after starting their Scottish Premiership title defence with six wins in the opening six games.

But they fell behind to Mark O'Hara's header shortly before the break with Jonah Ayunga heading the second eight minutes into the second half.

Defeat means Postecoglou's side missed out on the chance to restore their five-point lead at the top of the table following **Rangers'** 2-1 defeat of **Dundee United** 24 hours earlier.

The Hoops boss said: "First thing, credit to St Mirren. They worked really hard and were committed to their game plan and made it difficult for us. There are always reminders we still have work to do."

"We didn't perform in any of the areas we like to perform in and have been

## SCOTS SPOT

■ by IAN WINROW

performing in during the first six games of the season.

"There isn't anything hugely positive we can take from today, including team selection – it probably wasn't right."

Celtic supporters disrupted the minute's applause held in memory of The Queen.

Some visiting fans chanted, "If you hate the royal family clap your hands" and a banner with those words was held up in the away end.

Alan Forrest scored twice as **Hearts** moved third following a 3-0 win at **Motherwell**.

Hearts boss Robbie Neilson said: "We rode our luck at times, got the three goals, so all in all I'm delighted. The most important thing is we go into the international break third in the league."



ROAR EMOTION: O'Hara celebrates his goal for St Mirren

### SCOTTISH PREMIERSHIP

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>HIBERNIAN (1) 3</b>	Boyle 45 (pen)						
<b>CAMPBELL 62, 73</b>							
<b>LIVINGSTON (1) 1</b>	Montano 25						
<b>RANGERS (1) 2</b>	Colak 8, 49						
<b>ST JOHNSTONE (0) 0</b>	Att: 3,355						
<b>MOTHERWELL (0) 0</b>	Shankland 17, Forrest 50, 90						
<b>ST MIRREN (1) 2</b>	O'Hara 43, Ayunga 53						
<b>CELTIC (0) 0</b>	Att: 6,331						
<b>HEARTS (1) 3</b>	Harper 15, 83						
<b>ROSS COUNTY (0) 0</b>	Att: 4,396						
<b>QUEEN'S PARK (1) 2</b>	Murray 43, Savoury 52						
<b>ALBION (0) 0</b>	Att: 1,472						

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>MORTON (0) 1</b>	McGrattan 90						
<b>ATT: 1,473</b>							
<b>PARTICK (1) 2</b>	Lawless 17						
<b>BANNIGAN 52</b>							
<b>RAITH (2) 3</b>	Connell 8, Stanton 35						
<b>BROWN 83</b>							

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>Partick</b>	7	4	2	1	16	10	14
<b>Ayr</b>	7	4	2	1	14	10	14
<b>Queen's Park</b>	7	4	1	2	12	11	13
<b>Inverness CT</b>	7	3	2	2	11	9	11
<b>Dundee</b>	7	3	1	3	13	11	10
<b>Raith</b>	7	3	0	4	8	10	9
<b>Morton</b>	7	2	2	3	6	7	8
<b>Hamilton</b>	7	1	4	2	7	10	7
<b>Cove Rangers</b>	7	1	2	4	9	13	5
<b>Arbroath</b>	7	1	2	4	5	10	5

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>ALLOA (0) 2</b>							
<b>DUNFERMLINE (0) 1</b>							
<b>PETERHEAD (1) 2</b>							
<b>QUEEN OF SOUTH (1) 4</b>							
<b>SCOTTISH LEAGUE TWO</b>							

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>ALBION (0) 0</b>							
<b>ANNAN ATHLETIC (0) 2</b>							
<b>DUMFRIES (1) 1</b>							
<b>STENHOUSEMUIR (1) 3</b>							
<b>STIRLING (4) 4</b>							

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
<b>ARBROATH (2) 2</b>	Hilson 12						
<b>McKENNA 40 (pen)</b>							
<b>COVE RANGERS (0) 2</b>	Reynolds 81, 84						
<b>ATT: 2,918</b>							
<b>AYR (0) 2</b>	Young 51, Murdoch 69						
<b>ATT: 2,045</b>							







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# BLACK AND WHITE CATS

## Alese: We focused like Juventus

by IAN BAKER

**WATFORD** 2  
**SUNDERLAND** 2

**AJI ALESE reckons learning from a club that wear black and white stripes has given Sunderland a lift.**

But don't worry Black Cats fans, the ex-West Ham defender is referring to Italian giants Juventus and not hated rivals Newcastle.

Tony Mowbray (*inset*) and his men returned from a five-day, four-night working trip down south with four points from two games.

The Wearsiders opted to stay put in a hotel in between Wednesday's 3-0 win at Reading and this visit to Vicarage Road.

And they followed up Reading with this point in which Alese and Jewison Bennette scored first goals for the club.

Alese said: "It's helped us as a squad. I think some Italian teams like Juventus talk about when they go on a bad run, they go away for a couple of nights. They can just focus purely on football, away from distractions, and that helps.

*"We're here to play football but it has given us a bit of time. You can create relationships with players you don't know."*

"The manager has been here a couple of weeks and everyone is trying to get to know him better. Over the last few days we have seen a different side to him."

Alese's goal came in first-half stoppage time after Keinan Davis' 35th-minute effort had put Watford ahead.

But he admits it would not have been given a few years ago. Alese's shot appeared to be cleared by Hamza Choudhury but was given by goal-line technology.

He said: "When I was growing up watching football, it probably would not have been given. Technology helps."

The Hornets appeared to be heading towards a much-needed win after Luke O'Nien headed into his own net on 62 minutes.

But Costa Rican star Bennette fired

in the leveller three minutes from time to move Sunderland to fifth. Now he needs to work on communication.

Alese said: "His English is very limited. Some of us know a few Spanish words, so we try to speak to him in that. He's a nice lad and that makes it easy to get along."

*Watford have a history of sacking managers, but despite just one win in eight games, Rob Edwards' job seems safe for now.*

Defender William Troost-Ekong said: "We're all backing the manager and want to fight for him. The good thing is we're all pulling in the right direction. Sooner or later that will click."



**AA TO RESCUE:**  
Aji Alese scores his first Sunderland goal to equalise



**POINT MADE:**  
Jewison Bennette is mobbed after his late leveller



**GRATEFUL:** Bielik  
Bielik is back on big high

**BIRMINGHAM** 0  
**COVENTRY** 0

by JOHN WRAGG

POLAND international Krystian Bielik wants to play at the World Cup as a thank you to Birmingham for helping to save his career.

Bielik was flying at Derby under Wayne Rooney when he tore his anterior cruciate ligament for the second time in a year.

When Derby dropped into League One Bielik was told if he did not find a Championship club, he would miss out on Qatar.

He landed a season's loan with Birmingham and celebrated the first full game of his second comeback in this Midlands derby.

"I'm back after those bad injuries - this was a massive 90 minutes for me," said Bielik, who has five Poland caps.

"I was worried about my career. If you had two ACLs in one knee, you have a right to be worried.

"I think only about the future now. I have a massive tournament with the World Cup to aim for.

"I know that if I am fit, I will play for my country.

"The manager at Birmingham, John Eustace, the whole medical staff, the whole club, gave me the opportunity to sign and make myself fine.

"The gaffer has told me I will get time on the pitch because he knows the World Cup is a massive thing for me."

Coventry manager Mark Robins also has a big challenge - turning round the club's worst start in six years that sees them bottom of the table.

Keeper Ben Wilson, who protected the Sky Blues' point with a late save from Auston Trusty after Gustavo Hamer was sent off for kicking out at Birmingham's Hannibal Mejbri, believes Robins can do it.

Wilson said: "We can take heart from one of our best performances of the season so far and our first clean sheet."



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# MA'AM'S BEST FRIENDS

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16-page tribute to the world's most famous animal lover



# Queen Elizabeth II:



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# Ma'am's best friends

## CRAZY ABOUT HER CORGIS

THE Queen adored corgis – as this September 1950 picture of the then-Princess Elizabeth shows. During her reign she owned more than 30. Many were direct descendants of Susan, who was an 18th birthday present from her parents in 1944. Such was her love for the dogs, they even accompanied her on honeymoon. Far left, she hugs her first royal corgi, Dookie, in 1936. He was bought by her father George VI when he was Duke of York.





# Queen Elizabeth II:



## HER MAJ'S PUPPY LOVE

THE Queen had been on the throne just seven months when she was pictured with Susan the corgi at Balmoral Castle in 1952. The much-loved pooch spent an amazing 15 years loyally by the Queen's side. When her cherished pet died, the monarch said: "I always dreaded losing her, but I am ever so thankful that her suffering was so mercifully short." Susan was buried in the pet cemetery at Sandringham.



# Ma'am's best friends





# Queen Elizabeth II:





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## CONSTANT COMPANIONS

QUEEN Elizabeth gives a radiant smile as she fusses over two of her corgis in the garden of Windsor Castle in 1962. Her Majesty took her beloved pets with her everywhere. Below, she lets them run amok on the lawn in front of Balmoral in September 1971. Far left, she arrives with corgis in tow at Aberdeen Airport on her way to her Scottish retreat in 1974. And the cute pups make their own way off a plane at Heathrow in September 1998.





# Queen Elizabeth II:



## RIDING HIGH IN THE SADDLE

ONE of Queen Elizabeth's great passions was horses – riding, breeding and racing them. It all began when she was given a Shetland pony at just four years old. Over the years, she owned hundreds of horses, including many winning racehorses. Here, she is on horseback looking across the beautiful Scottish countryside towards Balmoral Castle during the Royal Family's annual summer holiday in September 1971.



# Ma'am's best friends





# Queen Elizabeth II:



## THOROUGH BRED

THE Queen enjoyed being around horses her entire life. She started lessons at four years old and, incredibly, was spotted riding in Windsor at the age of 96. Here, the Princess takes her pony for a canter in Windsor Great Park in the 1930s. Left, Her Majesty returns a salute on her horse Burmese at the annual Trooping The Colour in 1979. The mare was ridden by the Queen at the ceremony for 18 consecutive years, from 1969 to 1986.





# Ma'am's best friends

## A REIN OF PLEASURE

HER Majesty's love for horses is on full view as she grins happily while getting up close to a mount at the Royal Windsor Horse Show in May 1997. She liked nothing better than to come face-to-face with the majestic beasts as she reviewed the troops. The Queen was Patron of the show for her entire reign, and as it is the highlight of the mounted regiments' calendar, it always gave her plenty of chance to indulge in her favourite hobby.





# Queen Elizabeth II:





# Ma'am's best friends



## A BEARY NICE AFTERNOON

THE Queen enjoys tea with another national treasure – Paddington Bear. Her Majesty was known for her sense of humour and, during the BBC's Platinum Party at the Palace, fans saw her sit down with the popular children's character at Buck House. The monarch even pulled a marmalade sandwich – Paddington's favourite – out of her handbag. The Queen also starred in a 007 sketch with Daniel Craig (and a corgi, of course) for the opening ceremony of the 2012 Olympics in London, left.



# Queen Elizabeth II:



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## A RIGHT ROYAL STEER

THE Queen's love for animals went beyond corgis and horses. She and Prince Philip were great supporters of the UK farming industry and often walked among the Highland cattle at Balmoral, as in this 1972 photo. The Royal Highland Show in Edinburgh left her beaming as she inspected cattle there in 2009, right. And students at Myerscough College in Bilsborrow, Lancs, were pleased to receive a visit in 2015.





# Ma'am's best friends

## SWANNING ABOUT

AN adorable cygnet provides the Queen with great joy as she visits a traditional swan ceremony. The monarch was guest of honour at Oakley Court on the River Thames in 2009, for the annual Swan Upping census.

During the ceremony, the Swan Marker and a team of Uppers travel on a five-day journey along the river, passing through Windsor. The swans' health is checked and they are counted to monitor numbers.